THE WEATHER
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$10,000,000 LOSS

Capitol at Albany, New York, Was Swept by Fire

State Library, Containing Rare and Valuable Books, Destroyed—The Grand $1,000,000 Staircase Badly Damaged—Valuable Documents That Never Can be Replaced Were Destroyed

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—Fire-swept, smoke-stained, and water-drenched, New York state's magnificent $27,000,000 capitol stands this morning a partial wreck from a fire that started in the assembly library, burned away the entire west wing and did damage estimated at between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000 before the flames were declared under control by First Assistant Chief Shattuck at 7 o'clock after raging more than four hours. It is believed that the fire was started by a fused electric pushbutton becoming electrified.

The fire was discovered by a night watchman and the alarm was sounded at 2.45 o'clock. Before the firemen reached the massive structure atop Capitol hill, priceless documents, books and records stored in the assembly library had been destroyed and other departments were being threatened. The imitation oak ceiling of the assembly chamber composed of papier-mache was partly destroyed, as was also the famous million dollar staircase in the west wing. On the third floor, where the flames gained their start, the departments wholly or partly destroyed by the fire or seriously damaged by water were:

The state library, containing 400,000 volumes, among them the most valuable genealogical works in the United States, together with relics and priceless documents, some of them dating back to 1776 and irreplacable.

The assembly and senate libraries, stored with thousands of law and code books, contained also a number of documents and manuscripts that can never be replaced.

The finance committee room in which were stored drafts of all the appropriation and other bills of the present session.

The chamber of the president pro tem of the senate.

The lieutenant governor's room, badly damaged but not wrecked.

The senate and assembly chambers, both flushed with water that has ruined their rich furnishings and the scandal-struck ceiling of the latter hanging is wasted, straggling shreds of half dissolved paper. This ceiling, with its handsome adornment is said to have cost a great sum and was one of the show sights of the capitol.

On the fourth floor in the west wing, the wrecked offices are:

The court of claims in which many important legal documents were on file.

The bill drafting department.

The bureau of weights and measures.

The state regent's room.

The state prison commission.

The state educational department, containing many valuable books of scientific and historical interest.

On the second floor the damaged rooms are:

The attorney general's office.

The state excise department, probably swept by flames.

On the first floor the damaged departments include:

The offices of the state treasurer and state tax commissioner.

The state board of charities and the state commission of lunacy.

The lower office of the state educational department.

Practically all the offices below the third floor, including the executive chamber, were damaged by smoke and water.

The departments whih escaped the ravages of the fire and the deluge of water include:

The court of appeals.

Secretary of state's offices.

Department of public works.

The state superintendent of prisons' offices.

The state civil service commission.

The forest, fish and game department.

The restaurant, telegraph offices and press bureaus along the "midway." The third floor also escaped damage.

Men Reported Missing

While the fire was at its height four men were reported missing. One of them, Samuel Abbott later turned up in the huge crowd that gathered to watch the millions of the state go up in flames and smoke.

Gov. Dix on Scene

Governor Dix was aroused shortly after 4 o'clock and remained in close touch with the firemen until the fire was declared to be under control. Practically all the state officials and many of the city officers were also on the ground.

State Architect Ware said he could give no idea of the total loss until after the flames were extinguished nor could he venture to hazard as to what the total loss may be.

The firemen had many narrow escapes. Several parties of them were trapped by flames in the corridors and rooms, but got safely out. Chief Bridgeford and a squad came near being hit when a large section of the western cornice crashed down with a part of the roof and upper walls. Several firemen were overcome by smoke and many were made so ill they had to seek fresh air.

Discovered By Clerk

The fire was discovered by a clerk who had been working at the station house early into the morning hours.

Running out into the corridor the clerk summoned a night watchman and with the assistance of two newspaper men efforts were made to put out the fire which probably could have been extinguished had a fire extinguisher or a bucket of water been available. As these were not at hand the flames spread until the room with its inflammable furnishings and paper was all ablaze.

It was some time before the firemen arrived and before they could get streams playing the flames were racing toward the state library.

The grand western staircase, which was regarded as one of the most beautiful in the world, occupied the center of the western wing and consisted of an immense double stairway of corsehill sandstone, elaborately carved.

It was surmounted by a glazed dome, which soon fell.

The stairway was commenced in March 18, 1884, and took five and a half years to build.

State Commissioner of Education Draper stated today that the state library contained 600,000 volumes, 400,000 pamphlets and 300,000 historical manuscripts. Two years ago Commissioner Draper transferred from the state library proper to the safe in his office on the first floor the original emancipation proclamation, the original of Washington's farewell address, the original manuscripts of the state constitution and fifteen or twenty of the other priceless manuscripts as well as all of the Washington relics. These have all been removed from the building to a place of safety since the fire started.

Commissioner Draper said that most of the manuscripts lost were original documents and cannot be replaced. The early Dutch records were lost. Of the books on the state library shelves which can be duplicated in the open market today, such duplication would cost, according to Commissioner Draper, $1,500,000 but he says the value of the other books and manuscripts lost, because of their being rarities, is priceless. Commissioner Draper estimated that the loss of documents and equipment of the state library which could be replaced was in the neighborhood of $2,000,000.

He has arranged to carry on the work of his department in the state normal school, which is under his control, and notified his 300 employes to report for duty at 9 o'clock this morning as usual.

Samuel Abbott, a night watchman, is believed to have met death beneath a pile of debris on the ground floor of the building. He cannot be found.

Starting afresh in the northwest angle, the fire got away from the firemen shortly before 10 o'clock. After several firefighters had been knocked unconscious by falling debris, the firemen were cautious about penetrating beneath the shattered arches in the west wing.

A huge chimney that was considered unsafe also kept them at bay and this permitted the flames to gain renewed headway. Great pillars of dense smoke curled from the peaks of both the northwest and southwest angles and spits of bluish haze spouted from the windows on the north side opening from the garret.

Fireman Bennett was overcome in the southwest angle and removed in one of the many ambulances kept ready for emergency. Gov. Dix was on hand before 10 o'clock and took personal direction of the salvage effects in the offices still untouched. It was decided to remove all the precious books and records in storage, the firemen being unable to tell whether or not they could keep the blaze under control.

The assembly chamber is a wreck.

Streams of water are coursing over the rich Axminster carpets while the desks and chairs are piled in confusion, water dripping from the ceiling and every article in the chamber. In the center of the forum lies the large brass chandelier, weighing many hundred pounds. It is hopelessly smashed.

Wreck, ruin and confusion abound on every hand in the north wing. The walls and ceilings are stripped of their ornate porcelain blocks, the arches rising gaunt and bare with steel rafters stretched across them.

Doors have been smashed in, brownstone arches have crumbled and the devastation is enhanced by the dripping ceilings and rivulets coursing over the floor and down the stairways.

At the homeopathic hospital three firemen are under medical attention. Other firemen were injured by falling debris but returned to work after having their wounds attended to by first aid methods.

General Verbeck tendered the aid of the guardsmen in policing the fire lines. In every portion of the west wing the rooms are a hopeless wreck. Desks have been ripped open, drawers forced and their contents strewn about and doors smashed to splinters by the battering axes of the fire-fighters. The latter were handicapped from the start by their ignorance of the many devious turns and passages and blind corridors of the capitol.

Both houses met at the city hall during the forenoon in response to a call by Gov. Dix. It is expected that the legislature will take up a rigid probing. A push button was put out of commission by a watchman yesterday and not repaired during the day. This button is held responsible for the conflagration and an official investigation is to result.

Military supervision approaching martial law was established early in the forenoon. So strict were the guardsmen that occasional state officers were held up until they could be identified.

Determined to drown out the fire at any cost, the firemen brought every possible line of hose to bear on the west wing shortly after ten o'clock and in 15 minutes had driven back the flames. Before an hour has passed they had been so thoroughly quenched that it was possible to get within striking distance of the smouldering heaps in the northwest and southwest angles. Conflicting reports as to the whereabouts of Samuel Abbott aroused anxiety about the building during the forenoon hours. The firemen had found no trace of his body in the debris but a report that he had been located alive was declared untrue.

Governor Dix questioned State Architect Ware and Fire Chief Bridgewood as to the safety of the capitol. The governor feared that it had been so badly damaged that all parts were unsafe. All of the conferes refused an opinion on the matter before they had discussed it.

Speaking of the fire, Governor Dix said:

"It is an appaling disaster. I consider the destruction of the state library a national loss. Fortunately the copies of Abraham Lincoln's emancipation proclamation and General Washington's farewell address were removed not long ago from the library to the safe in Commissioner Draper's office."

Weyler, Bein, and the document room attache who were reported missing, were accounted for before noon, but it could not be definitely ascertained as to whether or not Abbott had been located.

State Architect Ware announced that the loss at a rough estimate would be $5,000,000 exclusive of the valuable records in the state library which never can be replaced.

The firemen considered the senate and assembly chambers practically intact, with the exception of slight fire and water damage, but Mr. Ware advises against their use until they have been tested. It was decided that Adjutant General Verbeck and Police Chief Hyatt should have charge of the policing arrangements and that no one should be admitted without a pass.

The building was placed under martial law and the notes of bugles resounded through the corridors, so lately blocked by smoke and swept by flame.

Electricians about the capitol scouted the idea that defective wiring had started the blaze. They blamed it on a carelessly thrown cigar and it was asserted that the desk of a clerk and the bookcase near it were observed to be on fire when the flames were first discovered.

So far as can be ascertained there is no insurance on the capitol or its contents. There had been, for a year or two, an insurance of $100,000 on the executive mansion, in which a fire recently occurred.

It is said to be the state's policy not to insure its property.

A GRAND STRUCTURE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—Perched on the highest of the several hills upon which the city of Albany is built, stands the capitol, a gigantic structure of white granite, with red-capped towers. It is 300 feet north and south, 400 feet east and west and covers three acres. The first stone in the foundation was laid July 7, 1869, and on June 1, 1871, the corner stone was laid by the grand lodge of free and accepted Masons.

The capitol was first occupied by the legislature on Jan. 7, 1879, the formal occupation taking place on the 12th of the following month.

Some writers upon architecture say that the white granite capitol with its towers reminds them of the famous Tag Mahal in India. Others think it is a superb reflection of French architecture.

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FLYNN ELECTED

He Succeeds Girard P. Dadman as City Clerk

The much talked of and long sought after joint convention of the city council was held last night and was not dissolved until the hands on the sleepel clocks were moving on to the first hour of the morning. The councilmen were voting, while the graveyards were yawning and they reminded one of Goldsmith's dancers in "The Deserted Village":

"The dancing pair that simply sought renown
By holding out to tire each other down."

A little paraphrasing suited the lines to the councilmen who were "holding out to tire each other down." Councilman John J. Brady was a hard one to tire down and didn't get 'round to the other fellows' way of thinking until the sixteenth ballot was ushered in, and then he cast the deciding vote in the election of Stephen Flynn to succeed Girard P. Dadman as city clerk. The final ballot stood 15 for Mr. Flynn to 17 for Mr. Dadman.

Andrew G. Stiles was re-elected city treasurer and collector of taxes on the first ballot. His path was strewn with roses but there were thistles in Dadman's way and he went down and out after a period of about 20 years in office.

He had the 17 republicans with him from the start and for several ballots only one man stood berween Stephen Flynn and his election. That man was Councilman John J. Brady. He voted for Peter J. Brady on 15 consecutive ballots although it had been announced in the chamber that Peter J. Brady was no longer a candidate. There were motions to adjourn but they didn't go and the democrats who were voting for Mr. Flynn called for ballot after ballot and quite cheerfully admitted that were going to stay until Councilman Brady decided to vote for Mr. Flynn, and this the councilman did

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HOBBLE SKIRTS

Severely Criticized by Rev. Fr. Stanton, O. P.

At Women's Mission in Immaculate Conception Church—Large Congregation of Men at St. Margaret's Mission

The hobble and harem skirts came in for criticism at the mission for women at the Immaculate Conception church, last evening when Rev. Fr. Stanton, O. P., preaching on the subject of Scandal, referred to the extremes to which some women go through pride and a love of fashion. He stated that no women of refinement or education take up these extreme styles and his remarks made a deep impression. Speaking on the subject of scandal Fr. Stanton in plain language dwelt at length upon the feminine weakness of gossiping and impressed upon his hearers that the fact that the stories they circulated were true was no excuse for giving scandal. For the benefit of the young people Fr. Stanton spoke strongly on the tendency of young people to forget that they are subject to them during their youth and deplored the lack of respect and obedience which the young people of the present generation show their parents. Fr. Stanton urged all to go to confession early and not put off this important duty until the 11th hour. He stated that no confessions will be heard on Saturday night after eight o'clock.

At St. Margaret's

The great crowd of men attending the mission at St. Margaret's parish is most gratifying to the pastor and the missionaries for it includes practically every male resident of the parish. Last evening Rev. Fr. Hubert gave a powerful sermon on the sins of impurity.

TO HAVE FIRE ESCAPES

LYNN, March 29.—Spurred to action by the numerous accidents in the Asch building fire in New York on Saturday, the municipal council of this city today appropriated, under the emergency clause of the new city charter, $10,000 to be used in the equipment of school buildings with fire escapes.

FINAL MEETING

Of Middlesex North Institute

The last meeting of the Middlesex No. Agricultural society of this season was held today in the Chelmsford Centre town hall. The meeting was largely attended by members of the organization and their friends from the surrounding towns. The speeches were heard with great interest and the speakers were received with loud applause.

The meeting was presided over by H. W. Foster, chairman of the institute, who introduced as the first speaker Rev. Wilson Waters, who delivered an eloquent address of welcome. The reverend gentleman was quite witty in his remarks. He was followed by Mr. Edward S. Leonard of Boston, who gave a very interesting lecture on cement and its various uses.

Mr. Leonard gave several facts about the manufacturing of cement. "Between the years of 1880 and 1870," said the speaker, "six cement factories were started in this country after some American chemist had studied the manufacture of cement in Europe. In 1880 the real manufacturing of cement was begun in this country and last year 74,000,000 barrels of cement were manufactured. At the present time cement is very low and the mills are not making very great profit, and some of them would be willing to sell out if purchasers were found."

Mr. Leonard, who is very well posted on this subject, gave figures as to the cost of manufacturing cement. He gave descriptions of several cement buildings and told of its fire-proof qualities. He stated facts as to how the inside and furniture of cement buildings have been completely gutted by fire, while the outside of the buildings has remained intact. "Steel won't stand the heat that cement will," continued Mr. Leonard, "for it will warp and become like spring beds."

Mr. Leonard urged the farmers to construct their buildings of cement, especially their stables, or at least the floors as they will be easy to wash out, and will not rot as the wooden floors. Milk houses built of cement would be a great improvement as they can be easily flushed out and kept in a good clean condition.

"How thick must the walls be?" asked a member of the association. "About 10 inches," answered Mr. Leonard. Many other questions were asked and answered to the satisfaction of all.

The speaker then told of a neighbor of his in Framingham who built a cement block cottage. He manufactured the mixing machine himself and made all the blocks necessary for the house which he erected afterwards.

Prof. H. T. Hall, Brighton, Mass., was the next speaker.

STATE SENATE

Sustained Veto of Lowell Bill

BOSTON, March 29.—The state senate yesterday, by vote of 32 to 5, sustained the governor's veto of the resolve appropriating $3500 to assist the city of Lowell in commemorating the patriotic services of citizens who went to the front at the opening of the Civil war. Even Senator Hibbard of Lowell, who presented the petition for the city of Lowell, stood by the governor, as did Senator Denny of Worcester, chairman of the committee on military affairs.

Question being on passing the bill over the veto the division was as follows:

Yes—Bennett, Halley, Hatton, Murray, Powers—5.

No—Adams, Blanchard, Brown, Chace, Curley, Denny, Doyle, Evans, Gates, Grainger, Greenwood, Hibbard, Hoar, Hunt, Keith, Lomasney, Mack, Malley, Mellen, Mulligan, Nash, Nason, Newhall, Pearson, Quigley, Ross, Schoonmaker, Stearns, Timilty, Tinkham, Tolman, White—32.

MORE MONEY NEEDED

For Destruction of Gypsy and Browntail Moths

Sum of $1000 Appropriated Last Night Will Keep 68 Men Going for Two Weeks — Committee on Appropriations Will Hear State Inspector L. Howard Murphy

The committee on appropriations will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock and will hear State Inspector L. Howard Murphy, who will tell of gypsy and brown-tail moth extermination.

The park department has asked for more money for moth work and the members of the appropriations committee want to hear from the state inspector as to the efficacy of the work thus far and to hear what he has to say relative to the appropriation of more money to carry it along in this city.

The 68 men employed by the park department as moth destroyers were let go last Saturday night because the appropriation of $6000 given the department for moth work was exhausted. The department has asked for $6800 more and $1000 of that amount was allowed last night by both branches of the city council upon recommendation of the committee on appropriations. The advisability of appropriating the balance of the extra appropriation asked for, $5300, rests with the committee.

Supt. Whittet of the park department has charge of the moth work of this city and he said today that the moth gang would resume operations tomorrow morning and that the $1000 voted last night would last about two weeks. The Belvidere section, with the exception of some vacant lots in the Oaklands, has been gone over by the moth men and the vacant lots in question will be sprayed. The expense of spraying is not nearly as great as that of nest destruction and the work is comparatively simple. The sprayers can attend to a small forest while the tree men are doing half a dozen trees.

The moth men will tackle the Gorham and back Central street section between Lawrence and Thorndike streets, going in the direction of East Chelmsford. Tomorrow morning and upper and lower Centralville have yet to be attended to. Mr. Whittet said today that in some places in Centralville the moths are thicker than hops on a vine.

Park Commissioner's Report

The annual report of the park commission for 1910 is fresh from the printer and copies of the report, a summary of which has already appeared in these columns, can be obtained at the office of the superintendent of parks at city hall. Under the sub head "remarks" in Mr. Whittet's report the following is noted:

Few jewels are there but may be enhanced by an appropriate setting, and so with buildings that spring up on all sides. An excessive mercenary spirit is doubtless accountable for the deprivation of suitable surroundings to our domestic as well as more public architecture. There are few people who are entirely lacking in the appreciation of nature's adornment to know life; and it seems strange that we, the descendants from a race so domestic in its tastes, should be content to live in uninteresting environments with little to make the exterior of our homes attractive, while nature stands so ready to assist.

What is true in a domestic way is more so in a public, where the appropriation for expenditures usually makes it possible to accomplish a result complete in its harmony of nature and art; and what is thus obtained would have by far the greatest influence upon the thought and life of the greater number of citizens.

In Lowell scarcely an example exists among our public structures where the unfortunate blunder has not been made of ignoring and forgetting the surroundings and suitable position for foreground and background. Our municipal building and public library, buildings involving an expenditure of $603,365.36, cover an entire square. Were each placed in the center of a square or with a public plaza in front of them, each would appear well, but as they now stand neither their mass nor detail can be described, and little beside glimpses can be obtained of a worthy municipal monument.

These stupendous buildings, the city's most notable structures, entailing such great cost, and which might be both a source of education and pride, become in their exterior effect merely a vast pile and a constant reminder of a great mistake.

Churches, which in their usual broken and picturesque outline should give a sparkle to the monotony of city streets were they placed in such a way as to admit of foliage and foreground, are nearly all crowded upon parcels of gound hardly large enough to contain them.

As public squares are acquired and beautified, whether as encircling public structures or as open parks, their suitable adornment with fountains and statuary will suggest itself as appreciation of art increases and occasion arises.

The introduction of foliage so far as possible to cover up and blend with harsh lines, formed in the construction of cities, is of the highest importance. In our own city that function of the park commission which would perhaps be most appreciated and the most valuable in its far-reaching results, would be that of general tree planting upon the streets of the city, which is provided for by the public statutes. I would suggest that trees be planted on the various streets and avenues, upon the request of property owners, assessing the cost of same against abutting property, protecting, watering and guaranteeing them for five years, the cost of each tree to the citizen being five dollars. In this way great good would be accomplished, not only in the acquirement of the trees, but in the uniform and orderly manner of their planting. I believe that it would be of great value to the city, and that the owners of property would hail it with pleasure and as a great relief from personal responsibility and unnecessary expense, because so few people know how to select trees, what kind of trees to put out, what size trees would be best, what trees would thrive, etc. It seems to me that the property owners would be glad to have the park commissioners take charge of this matter.

No city should be more interested than ours in public schools, churches, public libraries, in public parks and parkways, and all those things which make stronger men and women, build character, and educate them for a better life. There have been but comparatively few in this community who have given their time and talents to outdoor art improvement for the public good, a work that is of great value to the present generation, and of inestimable value to the generations which will succeed us. This commission can do much to assist and instruct people in the development of outdoor art, and its work will elevate and bring enjoyment and sanitary improvement to our city. I know and feel that there is a mission for us, and that all the good people of the city should unite to foster and perpetuate this idea.

"CY" YOUNG

OBSERVED HIS 44TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY TODAY

KANSAS CITY, Kas., March 29.—"Cy" Young, who is here with the second division of the Cleveland American league baseball squad is 44 years old today. He was the recipient of numerous telegrams of congratulation from baseball players and followers of the game. "Cy" was born in Gilmour, Ohio. This is his 22nd year in major league baseball. He is said to be in better physical condition now than he was two years ago.

To date Young has won 502 and lost 306 games he has pitched in the major league.

GUESTS ESCAPED

Fire in Hotel at Beaulieu, France

BEAULIEU, France, March 29.—The fire that broke out in the Hotel Bristol last night burned downward from the top floor and was extinguished on the third floor, leaving the first and second stories intact. The loss, however, is estimated at several million francs. A large number of guests were frightened but escaped unharmed, the only person injured being a servant.

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FRANK SHANNON

WELL KNOWN BALL PLAYER IN TOWN

Frank Shannon, former captain of the Lowell baseball team, is in town today renewing old acquaintances and incidentally doing business as a representative of the Baseball Magazine and New England League score card. Frank expects to catch on this season with some team for although he has a pretty fine berth at present he gets the fever every spring and still has the goods.

IROQUOIS ASSOCIATION'S GIFT

CHICAGO, March 29.—The Iroquois Memorial Association of Chicago, formed soon after the Iroquois theatre fire here in 1903 in which 600 lives were lost, has forwarded a check of $100 to Mayor Gaynor of New York, the money to be applied to the relief fund there for the benefit of the survivors of the victims of the recent fire in which 142 lives were lost.

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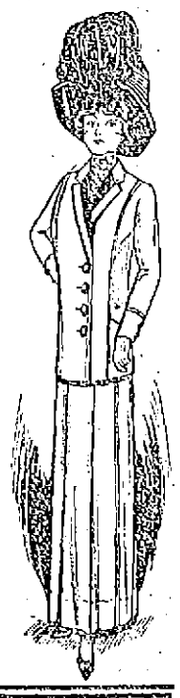

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PRESIDENT TAFT

Urged the Election of Senator Lorimer, Says Hines

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 29.—That President Taft and Senators Aldrich and Penrose urged the election of William Lorimer as senator from Illinois in order to obtain a vote for the Payne tariff bill was the burden of testimony given yesterday by Edward Hines, a Chicago lumber dealer, before the senate investigation committee that yesterday began an inquiry into alleged bribery in the Illinois legislature at the time Mr. Lorimer was elected senator. Mr. Hines was the first witness. He testified that President Taft and Senator Aldrich were uneasy about the senatorial deadlock at Springfield and that they had urged him to do his utmost in bringing about Senator Lorimer's election. President Taft, he declared was anxious that Illinois should elect a senator without delay in view of the then pending tariff bill. Mr. Hines said:

"I think along in April, 1909, Senator Penrose asked me whether a United States senator would be elected from Illinois. I said I had heard some remarks of a possible deadlock which would occur and no senator would be elected congressman. Lorimer did not know anything more about the situation than any other man in Washington.

"This was about the middle of April. I saw the congressman upon his return from Springfield and he told me conditions were about the same. Senator Aldrich again asked me about the matter and I told him what Congressman Lorimer had stated. I asked Mr. Lorimer later whether he could not become a candidate. He said no.

"Then I suggested Congressman Boutell from Chicago as a possible candidate and he said Boutell had many traits that might make him a desirable candidate.

"Senator Aldrich sent for me shortly after and stated that the administration at the time was very anxious for a senator to be elected from Illinois at the earliest date possible and wanted to know if some influence could not be brought upon Mr. Lorimer to become a candidate, as he understood he could be elected. I told him I would see the congressman. Lorimer stated that he would not become a candidate.

"I think this conversation was early in May. Then Senator Aldrich came to me and told me that the president was very desirous of Lorimer's becoming a candidate and doing all he could to be elected at the earliest date possible; that the tariff bill, the so-called Payne tariff bill, was then up in the senate and showed a very strong probability of being unable to pass if there was not a senator from Illinois. He asked me if I could not immediately get in communication with Congressman Lorimer over the long distance telephone and impress upon his mind that the president was anxious for him to become a candidate and to do all he could to be elected. I went to the telephone between 12 and 1 o'clock in the morning and called Congressman Lorimer, at Springfield.

"When just a very short time prior to Mr. Lorimer's election Senator Aldrich came to me again and stated the president was very nervous about the situation in Illinois; that he was afraid that the legislature would adjourn without electing a United States senator; that they were very anxious to have a senator elected from Illinois, and wanted me to see Congressman Lorimer and ascertain if he could not be elected senator before the legislature adjourned.

"I arrived in Chicago on the morning of the day he was elected. I telephoned him I was going on to Springfield to see him and carry the message of the president to impress upon those in Springfield that the administration wanted Mr. Lorimer to be elected United States senator at the earliest moment possible. He told me that I possibly could save time and accomplish the same purpose if I would call up Gov. Deneen on the telephone and acquaint him with the message I had from the president. I called up Gov. Deneen and explained my message from Washington."

Mr. Hines declared that the only member of the Illinois legislature with whom he discussed Mr. Lorimer's candidacy was Senator Thomas B. Stewart of Aurora. The witness said that Senator Stewart was pledged to Albert J. Hopkins. The witness denied that he had sent an agent of any character to members of the legislature for the purpose of aiding Mr. Lorimer's candidacy.

He declared that the question of financial aid for Mr. Lorimer was never brought up, either in Washington, Chicago or elsewhere, that he knew of.

John L. Hughes, stockholder and director of the LaSalle Street National bank, which is known as Senator Lorimer's bank in Chicago, the only other witness yesterday, admitted that he had seen every member of the legislature in the interest of Mr. Lorimer before the election occurred.

When questioned pointedly, Hughes denied the suggestion that he had made offers of money or political patronage in exchange for votes for Mr. Lorimer. During his examination, Mr. Hughes persisted in praising Senator Lorimer who, he declared, was "the greatest man since the time of Christ."

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82	Drawers	.35	.25
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86	Brassieres	.97	.50
6	Sheathbockers	2.97	1.97
2	Petticoats	6.50	5.00
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COL. ROOSEVELT

CONCLUDES HIS SERIES OF EARL LECTURES

BERKELEY, Calif., March 29.—Theodore Roosevelt concluded his series of Earl lectures yesterday with a condemnation of those newspapers and magazines, "the Ananias muckrakers" he termed them, "that misrepresent and discredit honest public servants."

"The public man" said Col. Roosevelt, "occupies an important and responsible position; but in a country like ours, where public opinion prevails paramountly, the public man does not occupy nearly so important a position as he that moulds public opinion. The cardinal sin of the public man is theft; the cardinal sin of the moulder of public opinion is mendacity.

"There's a type of magazine," the colonel went on, "a type that is hardly fair to call 'muck-raking,' because certain muck-raking magazines have performed a splendid public service; a type which may be designated as 'Ananias muck-rakers' than which no influence can pay a more contemptible part."

EQUAL SUFFRAGE

LEAGUE HELD MEETING AT HOME OF MRS. STOTT

A meeting of the Lowell Equal Suffrage league was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Stott in Nesmith street. It was the first in a series of four parlor meetings and proved a real success. There was a large attendance and the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Charles D. Palmer, president of the Equal Suffrage league.

Mrs. Aspinwall of Brookline was the entertainer and she delighted her audience. She read several of her original sketches, all of which showed keen insight into character, and a lively sense of humor.

The members of the committee having charge of the meetings are: Mrs. Charles A. Stott, Mrs. M. E. Jefferson, Mrs. Walter L. Parker, Mrs. Frank K. Stearns, Mrs. M. E. Hall, Miss Mary S. Robinson.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon, April 4th, at the home of Mrs. Walter L. Parker, and the speaker will be Mrs. Stanley McCormick of Boston, on "Woman in the Home."

THE HOLY NAME

OF ST. PATRICK'S TO OBSERVE 23D ANNIVERSARY

John Sullivan presided over a large meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church, which was held last night in the school hall in Suffolk street. It was voted to send John W. McEvoyQ. Esq., a letter of appreciation for his talk given before the members on the evening of March 17.

Plans were talked over for the proposed observance of the 23d anniversary of the society on May 23. The committee chosen to make plans for the event consists of Pres. Sullivan, James O'Sullivan, Rev. Joseph Curtin, Charles Griffin, John Neeson, Joseph McEvoy and others. The speakers for the occasion will be announced later. During the meeting there were remarks by Rev. Fr. Curtin, Mr. O'Sullivan, James McDermott and Charles Griffin.

KING'S DAUGHTERS

ANNUAL MEETING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual meeting of the King's Daughters of the First Baptist church was held last night. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted, including the election of officers for the ensuing year. During the evening a beautiful bouquet was presented to the retiring leader, Mrs. Arthur French.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Leader, Miss Ida M. Goucher; first vice-leader, Mrs. S. W. Hands; second vice-leader, Miss Nellie Floyd; secretary, Mrs. G. F. Wagner; treasurer, Miss Grace C. Lincoln.

THE N. Y. TIMES

TO LOCATE PLANT IN NEW QUARTERS

NEW YORK, March 29.—With the exception of its counting house, the New York Times is to remove to a new 12-story structure to be known as the Times building annex. Announcement was made last night of the purchase by the Times of a lot 143 by 100 feet on West 43d street for $300,000, a record price for the section, and its plan to erect thereon the new building. The new structure is needed, the announcement states for the accommodation of mechanical equipment and the editorial departments of the Times, particularly of the Sunday Times.

FOR CONTEMPT

THIRTEEN ARRESTS WERE MADE IN PARIS

PARIS, March 29.—During the course of the hearing yesterday in an appeal from the judgment against the Royalist Lacour, who was sentenced last December to three years' imprisonment for an assault upon former Premier Briand, one of the "Camelots du Roi," M. Pujo, in testifying called M. Briand an adventurer. Other members of this organization created violent disturbances and 13 of them were arrested for contempt of court.

BILLERICA

The selectmen of the town of Billerica have ordered that all dogs belonging within the confines of North Billerica be muzzled or placed under restraint for the next 30 days. This action was taken after it was found that the dog recently killed in the village was suffering from the rabies. It is alleged that the dog was owned by a Lowell man, it became mad and running amuck made its way to North Billerica.

WAGES INCREASED

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., March 29.—General Manager J. F. McGuire of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company late yesterday announced that an increase of wages had been granted trainmen along the company's system, following a conference with representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. The increases average about 15 cents a day.

TO BUY LAND

To be Held as National Forests

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The department of agriculture announces, through a circular which is just coming from the press, that it is ready to begin operations looking to the purchase of land by the national forest reservation commission created under the Weeks law.

This law was passed with special reference to the creation of national forests in the Appalachian and White Mountains. Under it the secretary of agriculture is to examine, locate and recommend to the commission for purchase such lands as in his judgment may be necessary for regulating the flow of navigable streams. The circular which is now being printed is intended to give information to the public as to where and what kinds of land are wanted. Owners of land the purchase of which will be considered by the government, are expected on the basis of this information to make known to the forest service, which will conduct the work for the department of agriculture, their desire to sell. Copies of the circulars may be obtained by applying to the forest service.

The law is not restricted to particular regions, except that lands may be bought only in the states whose legislatures have consented to the acquisition of land by the United States for the purpose of preserving the navigability of streams. The states which have already taken the necessary action are Maine, New Hampshire, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, South Carolina and Georgia.

The first lands to be examined for purchase will be in the Appalachian and White Mountains, which because of their altitude, steepness, and lack of protection are in a class by themselves. The area which is believed to need protection is much larger than the government can purchase. Much difference exists, however, between different parts of the region. Careful examinations which have been going on for the last ten years have proved that the conditions which affect streamflow to an extreme extent are to be found in relatively limited areas, which are scattered more or less widely. By careful selection it is believed that much can be done for the permanent improvement of the watersheds with the purchase of a relatively small part of the land.

A blank form for the offer of land accompanies the circular. Additional copies of this blank form may be had by writing the forest service at Washington. The kinds of land which will be considered for purchase, if they lie within the designated areas, are set forth by the circular as follows:

Timbered lands may be bought either with the timber standing on them or with reservation by the owner of the right to cut the timber under certain rules to provide for perpetuation of the forest. These rules will form a part of the agreement for the purchase of the land. Since, however, the government can not pay high prices, it is not regarded as probable that much land bearing a heavy stand of merchantable timber can be bought. Culled and cut-over lands may be bought, as well as land covered with brush which is useful for watershed protection, burned land, and abandoned farm land, whether cleared or partially or wholly covered by young timber growth. Good agricultural lands will not be considered. Owners may reserve the right to remove valuable mineral deposits which are known to exist.

Proposals will be received for small as well as for large tracts, although small tracts can be examined only where the purchase of a considerable total of land in the same neighborhood is under consideration. With regard to the price which can be paid, Secretary Wilson indicates that the policy of the commission will be to make the money available to go as far as possible. "For the most part," he says, "we shall have to buy cut-over lands or lands without much merchantable timber. I want to make it plain at the start that I shall recommend this class of land only when it is offered very cheap. Proffers of land at exorbitant prices will not be considered. I am frank to say that I hope to see a great deal of public spirit manifested by land owners. I expect some lands to be offered at merely nominal prices in order to aid the government in getting well started upon this wise and necessary policy.

"The lands acquired by the government will be held as national forests. They will be protected from fire and the growth of the timber will be improved as much as possible. The lands will not be game preserves, but will continue to be open to the public for hunting and fishing in accordance with the laws of the state in which they are situated. All their resources will be available for the public under reasonable conditions. Another point which I wish to emphasize is that we are not going to take from people their homes in order to put the lands into national forests."

The areas within which offers of land are desired are set forth in detail in the circular of Forest Service. The approximate location of these areas is as follows, although Secretary Wilson warns those wishing to offer land that they should first secure the circular in order to see whether their holdings fall within the more detailed areas therein indicated:

In New Hampshire, lands in the White mountain region.

In Maine, lands in a portion of Batchelder's Grant in Oxford county.

In Maryland, a portion of the western part of Garrett county.

In Virginia, parts of Shenandoah, Rockingham, southwestern Warren, western Page, northern Bedford, eastern Botetourt, southern Rockbridge, southern Washington, Smyth, and Wythe counties, and western Grayson county.

In West Virginia, parts of Pendleton, Hardy, Randolph, and Pocahontas counties.

In Tennessee, parts of northeastern Johnson county, Cocke, Sevley, Blount, and Monroe counties.

In North Carolina, parts of Wilkes, Caldwell, Wautauga, Buncombe, Yancey, McDowell, southwestern Mitchell, Haywood, Swain, Jackson, Henderson, Transylvania, Macon, Clay, Cherokee, and Graham counties.

In South Carolina, a part of Oconee county.

In Georgia, parts of Rabun, Habersham, and White counties.

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Fire in a Garage at Allston

BOSTON, March 29.—The repair department on the top floor of Alvan T. Fuller's garage at Commonwealth and Brighton avenues in Allston was threatened by fire that broke out in the enameling room about 7.30 last evening.

The building is four stories high and constructed almost wholly of concrete. The enameling room is in the front on the Malvern street side.

It is supposed the fire started in an enameling oven. Ernest W. Ward, Charles Pistarino and Charles Coyle were at work in the room. The flames spread rapidly and the heat started the automatic sprinklers. Soon the room was deluged with water. A workman ran to the corner of Brighton avenue and Chester street and sounded an alarm from box 814.

The fire was confined to the room in which it started. Automobile lamps and small fittings are taken to this room to be enameled and much of this stock was damaged. This, with the water damage, will bring the loss up to about $2000.

The basement floor was commodious enough to permit the entrance of the fire apparatus. Chemical 6 was run into the basement alongside the freight elevators and lines were carried to the fourth floor on the elevator. Chief Maddison also had lines put up from the Malvern street side.

The floors of the building are of concrete, and although there are several hundred automobiles stored in the place, none was damaged. The firemen scooped the water down the elevator wells.

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COMMUNICATION

Mr. Editor: My attention has been called to your editorial of March 24th in which you ask, "If you favor the referendum on important questions, why oppose it on the city charter. With your permission, I will tell you, and through your valuable paper, the people of Lowell, why the members of our cigar-makers' union oppose it. We believe all important questions should be referred to the people. It is not the referendum we oppose, it is the manner in which we will be called on to meet it. We say it would be impossible to enforce the recall as the required 20 per cent. is too great, and as a proof of our contention, let me say that the committee with a printed press behind it was unable to get 20 per cent. of the voters of Lowell. When they could not get 20 per cent. of the vote in four months, it seems to me a thorough justification of our position. When you realize that we would be forced to get the names of qualified voters, you will see the impossibility of the task. I imagine I hear you ask what per cent would be fair. In answer to that question, I would say eight per cent. would be fair.

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PETITION FOR PARK

West Centralville People Expect to Have 1500 Names

All West Centralville seems to be in favor of a public park in that section of the city according to the members of the committee which had charge of looking up the possibilities of a park in that district.

A petition now in circulation in that territory, is headed with the signature of Rev. J. N. Jacques, pastor of St. Louis' church, and signed by all the business men as well as many of the citizens of that locality. In all it is claimed over 500 signatures have been affixed to the petition and before the committee gets through its work, it is expected that the paper will carry about 1500 names.

As soon as the petition is filled, it will be presented to the members of the common council, and the latter will be asked to vote an appropriation and purchase a strip of land in that district and convert it into a park.

Two or three tracts of land are mentioned for that purpose, but many of the West Centralville residents seem to favor that particular tract extending between the Aiken street bridge and Beaver brook.

LOCAL MILITIA

The Dates of Inspection Announced

The state inspection of Company C will take place tonight at the armory and the following order to the members of the company has been issued:

In compliance with general order No. 5, A. G. office, Boston, January 27th, 1911, you are hereby ordered to report at Company C quarters at State Armory, Lowell, Mass., on Wednesday evening, March 29, 1911 at 7.30 sharp for state inspection.

Bill of dress as follows: Olive drab uniform with caps, field belts with suspenders, canteen, haversack and mess kit (excepting tin cup) will be worn, service shoes to be worn. Rolls to be carried.

Inspecting officer, Major Harry L. Brown, inspector general's department.

Lunch served 5.30 to 7 p. m.

Quartermaster Sergeant will be at armory every evening to equip you properly. Any man failing to report for this tour of duty will be discharged according to general order No. 6, A. G. office, Boston, March 2nd, 1911. Discharged "without honor."

Every man must be clean shaven and hair trimmed for this tour of duty. "Smoke talk" to follow inspection.

The inspection of Company G will take place Thursday night; Company K, Friday night, and Company M of the Ninth regiment will be inspected next Tuesday night.

There will be a basketball game at the armory Saturday night between Company G and the Five of Diamonds of Chelmsford.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

ST. JOHN'S DAY

To be Observed by Council Jacques

The members of Council J. N. Jacques, U. S. J. Bte. d'A., are planning to celebrate St. John's day, June 24. At the last meeting of the council it was decided to hold an open air celebration. The affair will probably be held at the residence of Mr. Pierre A. Brousseau in Essex street.

Messrs. Adolphe Bouchard, Elphege Beaudette and Pierre A. Brousseau have been named a committee to arrange plans for the celebration of St. John's day. Many notable speakers from out-of-town will be invited to attend, among them being Felix Gatineau of Southbridge, president-general of the society, L. Bisson of Manchester, N. H., third vice president-general, and Achille Proulx of Lawrence.

As there will be no formal observance of the day, it is expected that this fete champetre will be welcomed by the members of the society and the French speaking people in general.

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An action of contract in the sum of $3000 has been filed at the registry of deeds office by the E. T. Weare Co., of Wells, Me., against John J. Gray of this city.

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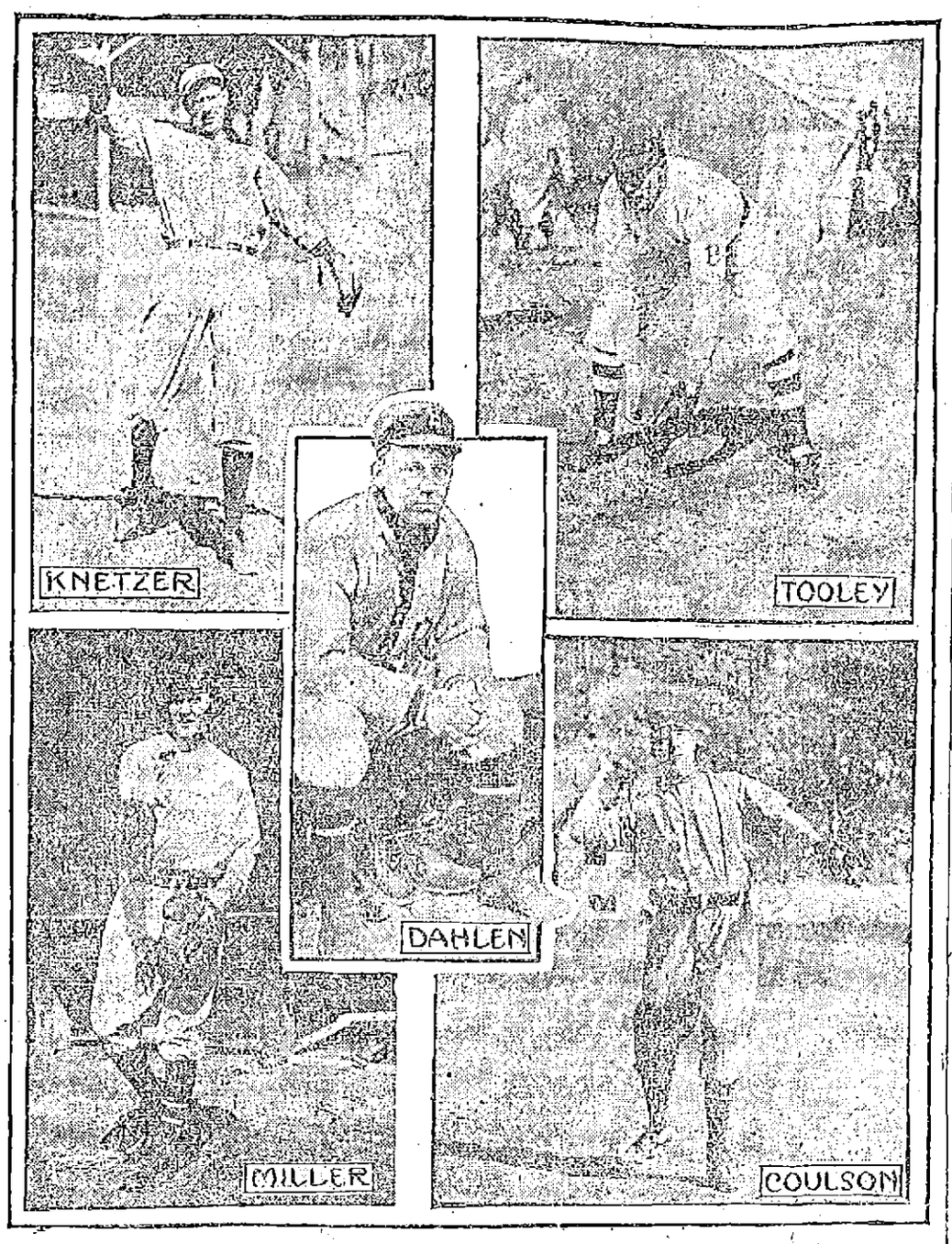
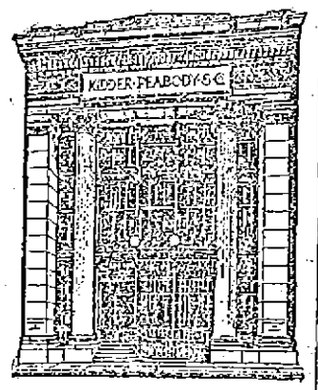


BROOKLYN, March 29.—Manager Dahlen is now on the road whipping his ball team into shape for the fast approaching pennant race. Bill is highly pleased with his outfit and says he will be the most surprised man in the country if his team does not land in third or fourth place. Brooklyn has one of the best teams that has represented this city in many years. Last season a ragged infield kept the club down in the race, but it has been strengthened by the addition of new men. Tooley, who has been playing short, gives promise of developing into one of the most sensational players of the season. Coulson, in right field, has been batting like a streak. Catcher Miller is a good one, and Pitcher Knetzer is in great form and due for a fine year in the box. The club has one of the strongest twirling staffs in either league. The backstopping department is formidable too. Dahlen ought to make things warm for his rivals.

We have for your consideration at all times lists of bonds which we can recommend for your investment.



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MINOR LEAGUE

The J. P. S. Five Won Two Points

The J. P. S. of the Minor league won two points from the El Toros in a close game on the alleys last night. The scores were comparatively low.

A very close and exciting game was played between the Merrimacks and Groves of the Bridge Street Bowlaway league last night. The Groves won two of the three points but the Merrimacks won the total pinfall by the narrow margin of one pin.

The game between the Algonacs and Stony Brooks played last night resulted in a victory for the former team.

The scores:

Merrimacks.

	1	2	3	T'tl
Hennessy	89	83	85	257
Pendergast	96	83	82	261
Panton	79	78	80	237
McNeill	97	82	83	262
Sweeney	92	100	87	279
Totals	453	426	417	1296

Groves

Chapman	91	72	79	245
Pilkington	77	86	81	244
McIntyre	87	94	78	259
Croft	92	88	91	271
Fielding	96	88	92	276
Totals	446	428	421	1295

MINOR LEAGUE

El Toros

	1	2	3	T'tl
Lawn	73	90	89	252
Clay	84	94	78	256
Richards	80	81	79	240
Furlong	90	92	101	283
Sub	79	69	70	218
Totals	406	426	417	1249

J. P. S.

Mason	92	85	82	249
Montgomery	97	89	92	278
Madden	80	83	70	233
Lafleur	79	69	100	248
Sub	73	81	78	232
Totals	411	407	422	1240

ALGONACS WON

Algonacs

	1	2	3	T'tl
Hallett	79	83	81	243
Freeman	80	91	94	265
Willis	93	110	88	291
McElroy	100	91	76	267
O'Neil	104	86	84	274
Totals	456	461	423	1340

Stony Brooks

Berry	82	86	80	248
Graham	89	80	87	256
Hodger	91	84	88	263
O'Connell	87	103	87	277
Duffy	84	87	97	268
Totals	431	440	439	1312

HER VISIT ENDED

Mother Superior Left Lowell Yesterday

Very Rev. Mother Marie Aloyse, superior-general of the Notre Dame order of nuns, who has been visiting at Notre Dame academy in this city for the past few days, left yesterday for Worcester, after which she will visit the houses of the order in the Springfield diocese.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

BY L'UNION SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN, F. A. F.

L'Union Samuel de Champlain, F. A. F., held a well attended meeting in C. M. A. C. hall last night, the main feature of which was the election of officers for the coming term, and of delegates to the Foresters' convention to be held in Holyoke. The officers elected were:

Chief forester, J. A. Donais; sub chief forester, Jean Louis Tellier; recording secretary, Alfred Lebel; first conductor, Jean R. Paradis; second conductor, Wm. Robitaille; first sentinel, Arthur Champagne; second sentinel, Arthur Lavoie; dean, F. X. Rivet; first trustee, David A. Parthenais. The treasurer, Paul Vigeant, and the financial secretary, J. S. Lippe, were elected for a year's term six months ago.

As the court is a very large one, it is entitled to six delegates to the Foresters' convention to be held at Holyoke in May. The delegates elected last night were: Napoleon C. Grandchamp, Camille Roussin, J. A. Donais, J. S. Lippe, Onesime Grondine and Alfred Lebel. The substitutes are: Narcisse Foucher, Sinai Mathon, Joseph Parent, Arthur Bourgeault, Jean R. Paradis and Alexis Morin.

12,000 MEN IDLE

ALTOONA, Pa., March 29.—Orders were issued yesterday for the closing of the local Pennsylvania shops for the remainder of the week, thus laying off 12,000 men four days. Next Monday the shops will reopen on a 15 hour a week basis. The reason assigned is the necessity for keeping within the company's appropriation for the month and to provide against the falling off of traffic receipts.

DETROIT COLTS WON

DALLAS, Tex., March 29.—The Detroit American league colts yesterday won from the Dallas, Texas league club, 8 to 6.

VICTORY FOR HIGHLANDERS

RICHMOND, Va., March 29.—New York Americans, 10; Richmond, Virginia league 2.

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TWO NEW LEADERS IN CONGRESS AT SPECIAL SESSION

WASHINGTON, March 29.—When congress meets in special session Tuesday, April 4, two new party leaders will be found in the place of Speaker Joseph G. Cannon and Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island. They will be Congressman and Speaker Champ Clark of Missouri and Senator Boies Penrose of Pennsylvania, who succeeds Aldrich as chairman of the finance committee. This position carries with it the leadership in the upper house. Penrose, a republican, will undoubtedly endeavor to line up the conservative forces in the senate to oppose any radical tariff provisions that the democratic house may pass. There will be very interesting battles between the democratic lower house and the republican upper house, and the brunt of them will fall on Penrose and Clark. Tariff revision and the question of reciprocity with Canada will be the two chief subjects taken up by the new congress.

WHITE MAN'S HOPE

Carl Morris Put Schreck Away in Sixth Round

SAPULPA, Okla., March 29.—Carl Morris of Oklahoma, called the heavyweight pugilistic hope of the white race, made good his name in the prize ring two miles south of here late yesterday afternoon by knocking out Mike Schreck of Pittsburg in the sixth round of what was to have been a 15-round bout. A right to the jaw did the work.

It was Morris' fight from the start to the finish, which came one minute, two seconds after the beginning of the sixth round, when Schreck fell heavily and took the count.

During the entire fight Shreck struck Morris only five clean blows, none of which was hard enough to cause Carl much discomfort. On the other hand, Oklahoma's young fighter chased and struck the veteran as he pleased. Morris demonstrated that he is a great right-and-left-hand fighter.

About 500 of the 12,000 spectators were women, coming mostly from Sapulpa and Oklahoma City. Carl Morris' wife was greeted with cheers as she entered the arena and occupied a box from where she had a good view.

It looked for a while as if the fight might have to be postponed on account of a sandstorm. A heavy wind blew great clouds of sand into the arena, filling the eyes of spectators and fighters, but it abated somewhat shortly before the main bout was scheduled to begin, and postponement of the big event was averted.

A section of the seats in the big arena collapsed just before the fight. Fortunately, no one was hurt. About 100 persons were in the section.

Morris entered the ring weighing 220 pounds. Schreck appeared to be overweight at 200. Though he had been training nearly a month, the effects of the work were not apparent on the surface.

Moving pictures were taken of the crowd and fight. The arena seated 12,000 persons and every seat was sold. Although the tickets cost from $3 to $10, nobody objected to the prices. The fight began at 4 p. m.

The betting was 4 to 1 that Morris would win, 2 to 1 he would win within 10 rounds and even money that Schreck would take the count before five rounds.

DIAMOND NOTES

Hugh Jennings, manager of the Detroits, has notified his players that shaking dice for money must stop and that in future each offender will have to pay a fine of $200. Jennings in an open statement declares that gambling among the Tigers has caused endless trouble and ill feeling. He says some of his men have won large sums from their fellow players, with the result that he finds it a difficult matter to enforce the rules of discipline. He says that there is dissension in the once great team due to the rolling of the bones and that he is determined to stop the practice even if he is compelled to release one of his stars. Jennings believes that dice shaking and poker games by players in other teams should be strictly prohibited and he is going to ask the national commission to take steps in that direction.

John J. McMahon, the pitcher who helped to win pennants for Baltimore when Ed. Hanlon was a manager and had such men as McGraw, Keeler, Jennings and Kelley under his wing, has signed a contract to act as a scout for the Giants. McMahon wanted to be a National league umpire, but when he failed to secure that berth he turned to McGraw for employment. McMahon is an expert judge of playing talent and his selection is a good one. He will begin work by inspecting the college teams this spring before going over the minor leagues with a fine tooth comb. McGraw admitted last year that he needed a first class scout, and he spoke the truth judging by the way his recruits in Texas have turned out.

7 THE SULLIVANS 4

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JACK JOHNSON

World's Champion is in Jail

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Jack Johnson, world's champion pugilist, is in jail and, unless some higher court comes to his relief on a technicality, he will serve a 25 day sentence for automobile speeding.

Johnson has often been an offender against the speed laws. After 14 arrests, from which he escaped with light fines or dismissal, he ran against acting Precinct Judge Treadwell last Thursday. On that day he pleaded guilty to a charge of speeding, and on Saturday he was sent to jail. He took an appeal to the superior court and yesterday afternoon Judge Morgan dismissed the appeal, cancelled the fighter's $500 bail and ordered him into immediate custody. Ten minutes later two deputy sheriffs had him in charge, bound for the Branch county jail.

FRANK KLAUS

DEFEATED SULLIVAN IN THE THIRD ROUND

NEW YORK, March 29.—Frank Klaus of Pittsburg stopped "Montana Jack" Sullivan in the third round of a 10 round bout at the Fairmont Athletic club last night. Sullivan was fairly clever, but Klaus, always rushing, dropped the westerner in the first round. The end came in the third when Klaus sent over a left to the jaw and Sullivan went down for the count of nine.

As he regained his feet the Pittsburg fighter landed a hard hook to the jaw and Sullivan again went to the floor for nine seconds. When he arose, Klaus tried hard for a knockout and after two more hard smashes had landed on the westerner the referee stopped the bout.

THREE MATCHES

Joe Thomas Will Have Busy Month

Joe Thomas, the well known boxer, has a busy few weeks before him. On April 5 he will box Bill McKinnon in Manchester and on April 12, he will take on Tommy Sullivan in Lawrence. On April 27 he meets Jack Dillon in Terre Haute, Ind. Joe is training at his home in upper Gorham street and is in fine condition.

Young Boyle Matched

Young Boyle of this city and Young Burke of Lynn are matched to box at Woburn on Monday evening next.

EDDIE MURPHY

WAS GIVEN A HARD BATTLE BY PAUL KOHLER

BOSTON, March 29.—Eddie Murphy of Boston, needed all his skill to secure the decision from Paul Kohler of Cleveland, O., in ten rounds of fast boxing at the Armory Athletic association last night. Another lightweight contest, which was equally close, was a 10-round bout between Tommy O'Keefe of Philadelphia and Johnny Glover of Cambridge, won by the former. The third main bout, scheduled for ten rounds, was concluded with the fifth, when Frank Perron of Pawtucket, R. I., conceded the victory to Buck Crouse of Pittsburg, Pa., who proved a whirlwind boxer. Perron was sent to the floor three times in the fourth round and was only saved from being counted out by the bell at the end of the fifth.

In the preliminary, Mark Conley of Boston defeated Kid Willetts of Fall River in six rounds.

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Basting Cotton—500 yard spools. Regular price 5c..... This Sale 3c
White Cotton Tape—24-yard pieces. Regular price 10c..... This Sale 6c
Needle Cases—With all sizes of needles. Regular prices 25c and 39c. This Sale 19c
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton—White and black, 200 yards. This Sale 2c Spool
Dress Shields—Featherweight in sizes 2 and 3. Regular price 12 1-2c. This Sale 8c
Wire Hair Pins—Plain and crimped. Several lengths. Regular price 3c. This Sale 3 for 5c
Cling Socket Fasteners—Black and White. Regular price 15c dozen. This Sale 12c
Nickle Safety Pins—All sizes, dozen on a card. Regular price 5c. This Sale 2 for 5c
Sampson Pins—Full count, extra good. Regular price 3c. This Sale 3 for 5c
English Pins—Solid heads, all sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 7c
Slip-Out Collar Supports—All sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Hair Pin Cabinets—Assorted sizes wire pins. Regular price 12c..This Sale 9c
Corset Steels—5-clasp, white and drab Regular price 10c.....This Sale 7c
Bias Tape—White, 12-yard pieces. Regular price 17c...This Sale 12½c
Linen Corset Laces—5-yard length. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Hooks and Eyes—With hump, black and white, all sizes. Regular price 5c .....This Sale 2 for 5c
Shoe Laces—5 pairs in a bunch. Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Taffeta Seam Binding—Nine-yard pieces, odd colors. Regular price 10c. This Sale 3c
Brooks' Spool Cotton—White, black and colors .....This Sale 2c
Sheet Pins—In jet, mat, turquoise and white. Regular prices 10c and 12c. This Sale 7c
Smoke Pearl Buttons—All sizes. Regular prices 5c.....This Sale 4c
Darning Needles—Long darners, assorted in paper. Regular price 8c a dozen.....This Sale 5c
Finishing Braid—With drawing string, white and colors. Regular price 6c yard .....This Sale 2c
Gilt Head Collar Pins—Round and square heads. Regular price 5c. This Sale 4c
Cotton Tape—White and black, all widths. Regular price 3c. This Sale 3 for 5c
Clinton Safety Pins—All sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Celluloid Thimbles—White and colors. Regular price 5c..This Sale 2 for 5c
Tape Measures—60-inch dressmakers' tape measures. Regular price 5c. This Sale 3c
Pearl Trimming Buttons—All colors. Reg. price 10c dozen...This Sale 5c
Hose Supporters—With satin pad, all colors. Regular price 25c. This Sale 19c
Mending Tissue—All colors, in a package. Regular price 10c..This Sale 8c
Ironing Wax—Cloth covered with handle. Regular price 4 for 5c. This Sale 7 for 5c
Featherweight Braid—A dozen patterns, all white, 6-yard pieces. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Taffeta Seam Binding—White and colors. Regular price 17c. This Sale 14c
Kid Curlers—Two sizes. Regular prices 15c and 17c.....This Sale 10c
Skirt Yokes—Black and white, all sizes. Regular prices 15c and 17c. This Sale 10c
Elastic Shirt Waist Belts—White and black. Regular price 10c. This Sale 7c
Spool Silk—100 yards, all colors. Regular price 5c.....This Sale 4c
Sonoma Fasteners—Black and silver, all sizes. Regular price 10c dozen. This Sale 6c
Pearl Buttons—All sizes, two and four holes. Regular prices 10c and 12c. This Sale 5c
Hose Supporters—Fancy elastic web, blue and white. Regular prices 39c and 50c .....This Sale 10c
Pearlbone Collar Supporters—All widths. Regular price 10c. This Sale 5c
Linen Finish Thread—For shoe buttons. Regular price 5c. This Sale 3c
Darning Cotton—On spools, all colors. Regular price 3c..This Sale 3 for 5c
Collar Supports—Taffeta silk covered, all widths. Regular price 5c. This Sale 3c
All Silk Shoe Laces—30 inches, black and tan. Regular price 10c. This Sale 7c
Mourning Pins—In boxes, white and black heads. Regular price 4c. This Sale 2c
Oversleeves—In white and linen. Regular price 25c..... This Sale 10c
Men's Arm Bands—Pink, blue and white ribbon bows. Regular prices 39c and 50c.....This Sale 10c
Pearl Buttons—Two-hole, in all sizes. Regular price 5c.....This Sale 4c
Pin Cubes—Black, white and assorted color heads. Regular price 10c. This Sale 5c
English Needles—Assorted sizes. Regular price 3c.....This Sale 3 for 5c

TOILET ARTICLES

Pumice Stone—Regular price 10c. This Sale 5c
Cupid Puffs—Fragrant sachets. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 10c
Mirrors—Round with stand attachment. Regular price 50c. This Sale 25c
Face Chamois Skins—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 10c
Requa's Complete Manicure Set—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Sandown Hair Nets—All colors. Regular price 15c....This Sale 3 for 25c
Rubber Gloves—All sizes, guaranteed. Regular price 50c.....This Sale 39c
Woodworth's Trailing Arbutus Talcum Powder—Regular price 15c. This Sale 10c
Petroleum Jelly Vaseline—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Cloth Covered Tourist Cases—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Requa's Nail Bleach—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Hines' Honey and Almond Cream—Regular price 50c.....This Sale 33c
Marcel Wavers—Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
Whisk Brooms—Fancy celluloid handles. Regular price 25c. This Sale 17c
Puffs—3 in set. Regular price 50c, This Sale 19c
Rubber and Celluloid Dressing Combs—Regular price 25c....This Sale 15c
Elastic Hair Nets—Regular price 10c. This Sale 4c
All Bristle Tooth Brushes—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Bathadora—Fragrant for the bath. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Listerated Tooth Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Tweezers, Nail Files and Blackhead Removers—Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Orange Wood Sticks—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 1c
Hand Nail Scrubs—Regular price 25c, This Sale 5c
Hard Water Castile Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Sachet Powder—Heliotrope, carnation, crushed rose. Regular price 60c per ounce.....This Sale 15c per oz.
Pond's Extract Soap—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 15c
Satin Skin Cream—Regular price 50c, This Sale 25c
Fancy Toilet Soaps—Violet, rose, sandalwood. Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Woodworth's Perfumes—Regular price 35c per oz.....This Sale 20c per oz.
Felt's Foot Soap—Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
No-Scent Odorless Perspiration Cream—Regular price 25c....This Sale 15c
Eastman's Adrea Cold Cream—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 10c
Theatre Rouge—Regular price 25c, This Sale 15c
4 Oz. Toilet Water—Carnation, Hyacinthe and rose. Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
La Blache Face Powder—Regular price 43c.....This Sale 33c
24-inch Washable Hair Rolls—Regular price 50c.....This Sale 35c
Ivory Soap—Regular price 5c, This Sale 4c
English Violet Toilet Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Orr's Glycerine Soap—Regular price 15c .....This Sale 5c
Shaving Brushes—Regular price 19c, This Sale 10c
Sans Dermal Talcum Powder—Regular price 19c.....This Sale 11c
Pompeiian Massage Cream—Regular price 75c.....This Sale 42c
Hair Brushes—Good bristles. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 13c
Jergen's Hand Pumice Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Bay Rum—Extra quality. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Corylopsis Talcum Powder—Regular price 15c.....This Sale 10c
Beef, Iron, Wine—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Leighton's Antiseptine Disinfectant—Regular price 49c.....This Sale 25c
Fountain Syringes—Regular price 98c, This Sale 69c
Gold Cross Foot Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 12c
Leighton's Cleansing Compound—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 12c
Requa's Nail Polish—Regular price 19c This Sale 10c
Ricksecker's Cold Cream—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 14c
Eastman's Large Can Talcum Powder—Regular price 10c....This Sale 3c
Pyraline Infants' Sets—Regular price 98c .....This Sale 85c
Italian Violet Orris Root Sachet—Regular price 25c..This Sale 10c per oz.
Pompeiian Massage Soap—Regular price 15c.....This Sale 10c
Atomizers—Hard rubber, continuous spray. Regular price 50c, This Sale 39c
Resinol Soap—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Campbell's Florida Water—Regular price 50c .....This Sale 30c
Sanitol and Calox Tooth Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 16c
Camphorated Cold Cream—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Kolynos and Sanitol Paste—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 15c
Ricksecker's Toilet Water—Regular price 75c.....This Sale 59c
Benzoin-Almond Lotion—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 15c
Manicure and Embroidery Scissors, also Pen Knives—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Keep Clean Hair Brushes—Regular price 50c .....This Sale 39c
Regal Foot Ease—Regular price 25c, This Sale 16c

Jewelry and Shell Goods

Mesh Bags—German silver finish, long chains. Regular price 39c, This Sale 24c
Coin Purses—Cold and silver finish, round or square. Regular prices 25c and 39c .....This Sale 19c
Neck Chains—Bright and green gold finish, with heart drop of crystal, ruby or amethyst. Regular price 25c. This Sale 17c
Mesh Bags—Short chain, large top Regular price 89c..... This Sale 49c
Imported Pins—Three in a box; jet cloissonne, plain and engraved. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 19c
Beauty Pins—Special lot of gold and silver, large variety. Regular prices 25c and 50c.....This Sale 10c
Beauty Pins—Of Cloissonne enamel, also Veil Pins to match. Regular price 25c .....This Sale 17c
Belt Pins—An assorted lot of 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 Pins, large variety. This Sale 25c
Belt Buckles—New designs in silver, oxidized and green gold, with and without stones. Regular price 50c. This Sale 17c
Brooch Pins—Enamel, brilliants, colored stones, college pins, etc., always 25c .....This Sale 12c
Dutch Collar Pins—Green gold with topaz or amethyst, large variety, always 50c .....This Sale 39c
Hat Pins—Large variety of gold and jet, always 10c.....This Sale 5c
Hat Pins—In coral, pearl, emerald, sapphire and white stone effects; all 25c numbers .....This Sale 19c
Collar Spreaders—Celluloid bar and pearl tops. Regular price 5c. This Sale 3c
Jet Hat Pins—Large tops. Regular price 25c .....This Sale 9c
Fine Hat Pins—All white stones, had sold at $1.00 and $1.50. This Sale 79c
Collar Spreaders—With pearl and brilliant tops. Regular price 25c pair. This Sale 2 Pairs 25c
Collar Buttons—Every style, six on a card ..... This Sale 6 Cards 25c
Necklaces—Short strings of coral, pearl, amber and colors. Regular price 25c .....This Sale 19c
Necklaces—Graduated pearl beads strung on fine wire. Regular price 50c .....This Sale 39c
Long Jet Chains—Fancy designs, very new. Regular price $1.98. This Sale $1.50
Long Chains—Of gold and silver with stones of all colors, also pearl coral and amethyst. Always 50c. This Sale 39c
Cuff Links—Pearl, rose gold and plain gold, with or without engraving. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 21c
Cuff Links—All our finest pearl and gold links. Always 50c. This Sale 39c
Brooch Pins—25 different patterns, gold finish with white stones. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 19c
Collar Pins—Beautiful enameled or with white stones, two on a card—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 19c
Neck Chains—Fine or heavy gold chains with soldered link and catch warranted for five years. Regular price $1.00.....This Sale 50c
Beauty Pins—Six in a box, plain or beaded with protected points, This Sale 21c Box
Veil Pins—Jet, rose and green gold, large variety. Regular price 25c. This Sale 19c
Lace Pins—Coral, pearl, black and gilt, always 10c.....This Sale 7c
Ear Rings—Pearl, jet, brilliant, coral and sterling silver, pierced or unpierced. Regular price 50c. This Sale 39c
Hat Pins—Sterling silver, spike shape, with engraved side....This Sale 19c
Fob Chains—Ribbon with gold charm and slide or all metal. Regular price 50c and 75c .....This Sale 37c
La Valliers—Silver finish with white stones, pendants, also sapphires and amethyst. Regular price 69c. This Sale 39c
Dog Collars—Jet, turquoise and crystal, five strands. Regularly 50c. This Sale 25c
Jet Goods—Brooch pins, cut earrings with drops, belt pins. Regular price 50c .....This Sale 39c
Chatelaine Pins—Bright and rose gold—Regular price 50c....This Sale 35c
Shirt Waist Studs—Gold, Pearl, black and silver. Regular price 50c. This Sale 39c
Special Lot of Beauty Pins, veil pins, brooches and buckles that have sold at 25c, 50c and $1.00....This Sale 10c
White Fans—Lace trimmed, carved ivory sticks. Regularly $1.00. This Sale 69c
Dutch Collar Pins—Green and rose gold all colored stones. Regular price 50c .....This Sale 29c
Hair Pins—Shell and amber on cards and boxed, all styles. Regular price 25c dozen .....This Sale 19c
Hair Pins—Shell and amber, all kinds. Regular price 3 for 10c. This Sale 4 for 10c
Hair Pins—On cards and boxed. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 7c
Hair Pins—Shell and amber, large size. Regular price 5c. This Sale 3 for 10c
Barrettes—All our regular 10c kind. This Sale 7c
Metal Barrettes—Many solid gold. Regular price 50c.....This Sale 10c
Jet Barrettes—Variety of styles that sold at $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. This Sale 10c
Barrettes—Plain, stranded or carved shell, grey or amber, regularly 25c. This Sale 19c
Braid Pins—Shell only, fine quality. Regular price 25c .....This Sale 10c
Back Combs and Side Combs—Regular price 10c .....This Sale 7c
Comb Sets—Plain and set with brilliants. Regular price 50c. This Sale 39c
Fancy Back Combs—All our novelty combs with brilliants, and gold inlaid ....¼ Less Than Regular Price

VICIOUS ASSAULT

Victim Unable to Appear in Court

---Cruelty to Horse

Joseph Powlaski, who it is alleged nearly killed Rudolf Schiller by striking him over the head with an iron bar at the state infirmary at Tewksbury two weeks ago, appeared in court this morning to be given a hearing on a complaint charging him with assault and battery but inasmuch as Schiller was unable to leave the hospital the case was continued until next Wednesday, Powlaski being held under $500 for his appearance on that date.

Powlaski and Schiller were inmates at the infirmary and were engaged in washing floors after the other inmates had gone to bed While they were performing the work they got into an argument and it is alleged that Powlaski picked up an iron bar and felled Schiller to the floor. Powlaski then made his escape but was later captured and brought to Lowell where he was locked up.

Cruelty to a Horse

Arthur Ayotte pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with cruelty to a horse. The testimony offered during the course of the hearing would indicate that Ayotte was inclined to think that dumb animals had no feelings. But for the intercession of his mother and sister Ayotte would have been dealt with severely by the court. Their pitiful appeals caused the court to be lenient, and the man was placed on probation.

Ayotte has been in the employ of a local wood dealer, and from time to time he has kicked the horse which he drove. The matter was reported to Agent Richardson and yesterday he and Patrolman Breault placed him under arrest.

The testimony showed that when the horse would not go fast enough for him he would kick the animal. The horse had been kicked so many times in one of the vital organs that the animal became unfit for use.

Witnesses testified to seeing Ayotte kick the horse and one witness said that Ayotte told him the reason he kicked the horse was because he wanted to go to see his girl and the horse would not run fast enough.

Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society and Patrolman Breault testified to the animal's condition and the court was about to impose sentence when the defendant's mother and sister came forward and pleaded with the court. The mother said the son was her sole support and felt that if the court would be lenient with him that he would do better in the future. Judge Hadley was moved by the woman's tears and decided to give Ayotte a chance. He told the defendant that owing to his inclination to abuse horses that he must not take any employment where he would have to drive a horse. Ayotte was then placed on probation for six months at the end of which time he will have to appear before the court to give an account of his actions during the interim.

Stole Copper Wire

Chester H. Parker was found guilty of the larceny of 117 pounds of copper valued at $12, the property of the Boott mills and ordered to pay a fine of $15 in three days or go to jail for three months. Parker had been in the employ of Contractors Simpson who are doing work at the mills and when the opportunity afforded itself he took the copper.

Stole Tools

John Hayes of Haverhill was charged with drunkenness and the larceny of two wrenches and a screw driver the property of Peter Eklund, a machinist at the Penny Arcade in Central street. According to the testimony offered Hayes, while under the influence of liquor yesterday, entered the machine shop in the rear of the arcade and stole the tools.

Patrolman Johnson arrested Hayes because he was drunk and when the latter was brought to the police station and searched the tools were found in his possession.

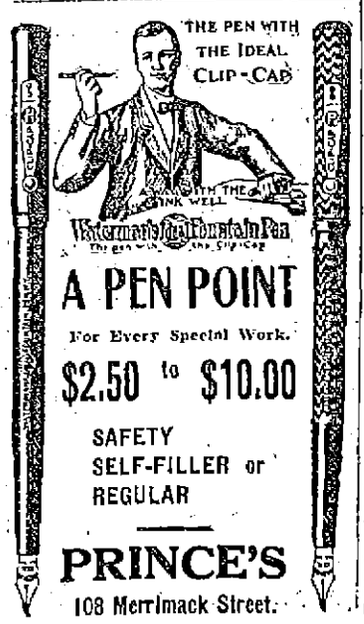
Hayes had little defense to offer other than he was drunk and did not know what he was doing at the time. He was found guilty and fined $10.

Other Offenders

William F. Mead, charged with being drunk, was given a suspended sentence of six months in jail and placed in the hands of the probation officer for a term of one year.

Julia Blanchard was given a direct sentence of five months in jail.

Patrick Welch, a parole man will be returned to the state farm at Bridgewater. There were three first offenders who were fined $2 each.



Which of these men wants to borrow $10?

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Woman and Grandson Found Dead

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 29.—Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, aged 80 years, and her grandson, Harold Sykes, aged 7, were found asphyxiated by illuminating gas in the home of the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sykes, at 554 Plainfield street here last night. The gas escaped from two open valves in the kitchen gas range. The discovery of the double tragedy was made when Mrs. Sykes came home from a three days' visit to Stafford springs, Conn., where her husband is employed. She found the doors locked and neighbors forced an entrance. Both Mrs. Taylor and the boy were in night garments and had been dead for several hours. The boy had apparently tried to escape but was overcome while trying to reach fresh air. His body was found on the floor under a chair. Mrs. Taylor died as she slept.

LIEUT. ERLER

MADE THE LONGEST FLIGHT IN GERMANY

HAMBURG, March 29.—Lieut. Erler, accompanied by a passenger, made a flight yesterday from the Doeberitz maneuver field, near Berlin, to Hamburg, in a biplane. The distance by air line is 140 miles, and it was covered in three hours and 30 minutes. This is the longest sustained flight ever made in Germany.

$60,000 MISSING

Express Messenger Has Disappeared

EL PASO, Texas, March 29.—W. A. Hawkins, a Wells Fargo express messenger on the El Paso & Western railroad, has disappeared and officials of the road state that $50,000 is also missing. The money is alleged to have been taken between Nogales, Arizona, and Mazaltan, Mexico, on March 20, while Hawkins was employed on that run. The money was being shipped from Hermosillo to Mazaltan.

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THE CELEBRATION AN ASSURED SUCCESS

The enthusiasm in the parade of April 19 should be greater than ever, now that there will be no state appropriation. The civic societies should turn out in large numbers to swell the ranks. The military turnout will undoubtedly be among the largest ever seen in Lowell. The patriotism of Lowell has been touched, and that alone will ensure the success of the celebration.

COMPENSATION LAW CANNOT BE COMPULSORY

We may benefit from the experience of New York state in the preparation of a workmen's compensation act. The Empire state framed such an act and made its adoption compulsory. The supreme court of New York has just decided that the measure is invalid, inasmuch as it would deprive both parties to a claim for damages of their right to trial by jury which is guaranteed under the constitution and cannot be abrogated. In other respects the act would stand all the legal tests. In New Jersey a compensation bill has been passed by the senate, but it is permissive, and in this feature overcomes the objection raised against the New York law. It is well to remember this essential feature, and it is rather surprising that none of the New York legislators saw the defect before it was pointed out by the supreme court.

LET US GUARD AGAINST FIRE HORRORS

Have we here in Lowell any lesson to learn from the New York holocaust? We asked this question some six months ago, at the time of the Newark, N. J., fire, but were answered by Chief Hosmer in the negative. We shall repeat the question now in spite of the negative answer, for we are told that there is a factory in Lowell in which a large number of girls are employed in an old building with no adequate fire escapes. If such be the case Chief Hosmer should investigate and have the matter attended to without delay. If the state inspectors allow any building in which hundreds are employed to go without fire escapes in violation of the law that fact should be known.

Where the owners of buildings balk at compliance with the law on account of the expense, they should be summarily dealt with. We cannot afford to run the risk of any such horror as occurred in New York last Saturday.

AN INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION FOR LOWELL

There is some talk of an industrial exhibition in connection with the celebration of our 75th anniversary as a city. That would be a capital method of advertising our wares. It would even enlighten our own citizens, a vast number of whom have but a very vague idea as to what is manufactured in our mills.

When the people who attended the recent high school performance saw the splendid material of which the costumes were made and heard that it was manufactured at the Merrimack mills they were astonished. They did not know that such fine fabrics were made here. They did not realize that, excepting silks, the Lowell mills make all kinds of fabrics, from the finest prints to the richest Brussels and tapestry carpets.

An exhibition of the products of our factories would help Lowell in showing not only our own people but thousands of outsiders just what our factories produce.

UNCLE SAM'S MOVE ON MEXICO

Speculation is still rife as to the real object of Uncle Sam in massing troops upon the Mexican border and ordering battleships to the strategetic points along the coast.

The European powers look with wonderment upon the situation, and some prominent officials have expressed the opinion that the United States as the defender of the Monroe doctrine is responsible in a measure for what may befall the interests of Europeans in Mexico. Some of the European powers seem to think that they are debarred by this doctrine from protecting their own interests in Mexico or any of the other small American republics, but such is not the case. The Monroe doctrine does not prohibit the application of force by European powers to protect their legitimate interests, but it does forbid any European power from settling on the American continent. Any foreign power may bombard a port and seize a city in the enforcement of a just claim; but as soon as that claim is satisfied it must get out.

There is an impression abroad at the present time to the effect that Uncle Sam would not go to the trouble and expense of mobilizing an army on the Mexican frontier merely on account of the rebellion in Mexico. It is believed that this move is aimed at preventing Japan from getting a foothold on Mexican soil. Either of the belligerents might approach Japan with an offer of concessions in lieu of assistance in case of victory.

The United States will take care that nothing of that kind happens, and it is quite likely also that as a means of protecting American interests, our government may intervene to restore peace unless the situation changes very soon.

The insurrectos in Mexico are fighting for needed reforms. The Diaz cabinet, unable either to promote reforms or to overcome the rebels, resigned, and the new cabinet is said to be no better so far as promoting necessary reforms is concerned. It would not be to the credit of the United States to throttle an uprising for reforms that are just and right and that should be granted. Rebellion is sometimes justified as the history of this country will prove, and when its purpose is right and its chances of success reasonable, no liberty loving nation should suppress it under any pretext. Reports are so contradictory that it is difficult for Americans to sense the situation in Mexico so as to tell just which side is right and which wrong. That means that the Diaz government being in office will get the benefit of the doubt, but until President Diaz retires there is little probability of permanent peace.

THE OPERA HOUSE

A performance of unusual excellence is being given by the Thompson-Flynn stock company at the opera house, where "The Christian," by Hall Caine, is the play for the current week. The play is a drama of intense interest and a strong dramatic situations, qualities that make it one of the most successful productions of its time, and in the hands of this talented company loses none of the interest or pleasing features of the original production. Stanley Forrest, gives to the character of "John Storm," a forceful and artistic interpretation that is as convincing a piece of work as this clever actor has so far given us. Frances Whitehouse, is seen as "Glory Quayle," playing with a fine intelligence and ability that gives to the part the requisite light and shade to convey the author's meaning of the character. Others in the cast who contribute to the excellence of the performance are Benedict MacQuarrie, Mary Sanders, Geraldine Russell, Chas. J. Haines, Frank Christy, Bartley McCullum and Russell Clark, as well as other members of the long cast. As in all previous productions, the scenic settings were all new and of an elaborate nature that elicited applause at the rise of each curtain. "The Christian" will be presented every afternoon and evening this week except Friday, when the stock company will give way to Cyril Scott, in "The Lottery Man." On Thursday afternoon after the matinee performance another of the popular receptions will be given by the company. Next week "In the Bishop's Carriage" will be the bill for the week.—Adv.

"THE LOTTERY MAN"

One of the best attraction of the season at the Opera House will be the engagement of "The Lottery Man" which will receive its first local hearing next Friday night. Cyril Scott who is best remembered for his excellent work in "The Prince Chap" a few seasons ago, is the star. The company is the same splendid organization that played New York at the Bijou theatre for practically the entire season last year and includes Helen Lowell, Bertha Bartlett, Louise Galloway, Jennie Dickenson Mary Leslie Mayo, Robert McKay, Harry Dornton and Wallace Sharpe.—Adv.

MADAME X

The production of Madame X to be seen here on April 5 is the original one which ran for nearly two seasons in New York and which has only just ended an engagement of nearly one hundred performances at the Majestic Theatre, Boston. The cast has not been altered since the sensational success which was achieved in New York two seasons ago when the drama was declared to be the most notable production in twenty years. Dorothy Donnelly, who made such a pronounced hit in the leading role, that of an unfortunate victim of drugs and drink who finds herself after long years of separation from home ties at the bar of justice accused of murder, her own son her defending counsel, will be seen here and she is assisted by Malcolm Williams, W. H. Denny, Ralph Morgan and Robert Paton Gibbs.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Talk about realism in a theatrical performance. There is everything in "Shore Acres" as now being presented by the Donald Meek Stock company, but real snow and they'd have that were such a thing possible.

"Lani's Sakes, that's real water!" explained a woman last evening as "Nathaniel Berry" turned the faucet in the sink in the kitchen scene and drew forth a basin full of aqua pura. Then there's a real turkey dinner served hot at each performance and the cutest baby, also real, imaginable, for James A. Herne himself never gave more attention to the detail of his celebrated play than has been given by Donald Meek in staging "Shore Acres." The the public appreciates these facts and the clever work of the company, is evidenced by the big advance sale for the remaining performances and those who desire to witness a performance of "Shore Acres" are advised to order without delay. "Shore Acres" is a play that does one good. It depicts the simple annals of the good old New England folk, and the lights and shadows are drawn by the pen of a real artist. Comedy and pathos are most gracefully intertwined, the former clean and without horse play and the latter tender and at no time tragic or melodramatic. In the character of Nathaniel Berry," Donald Meek is making one of the big hits of his career. While his versatility is already well known to Lowell audiences, his work in the part of the good old Yankee lightkeeper surpasses anything that he has done in a long time. He receives excellent support from Harry Arnold as "Martin Berry," brother of "Nathaniel," Miss Mabelle Estelle as "Helen Berry" and Miss Ada Allen as "Mrs. Berry," while the other members of the company are all well cast. The scenery and accessories are attractive, particularly the lighthouse scene in the third act, the strongest scene dramatically speaking, in the play. Next Week, the company will present Robert Edeson's great success "Strongheart" with Severin DeDeyn in the title role and Donald Meek playing the part of "Billy," a character that has made several comedians famous. "Billy" brings Mr. Meek back to accustomed straight comedy work and gives him a fine opportunity to display his talent in this direction. In "Strongheart" also Miss Estelle has a most attractive part.

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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Lamont and his performing Australian Cockatoos are making one of the biggest hits of the season at the Merrimack Square theatre this week. The act which introduces the collection of wonderful birds is the most entertaining of its kind in vaudeville today. Just think of what these birds do! Acrobatic stunts, such as one sees at the circus, somersaults, both in the air and on the ground, are only a few of the many unusual accomplishments of these cockatoos.

The Pete Lawrence Trio presents a short sketch that compares with some of the funniest seen on a local stage. One of the members has a line of slang talk that is laughable as can be and the Gould sisters are character change artists with but few superiors. Their impersonations of stage celebrities are without doubt the best of their kind which a Lowell audience has had the pleasure to enjoy in some seasons. Dick Mansfield, "The Man from Australia," sings some songs of his own composition and Emma Churchill, soloist, is exceptionally good. The daylight motion pictures are first-class.

A special announcement is made of of the appearance of John J. Quigley, the original newsboy tenor, at next Sunday's sacred concerts. This is his first appearance on the stage in five years. Mr. Quigley is well known in Lowell and no doubt will be warmly greeted when he is introduced.

Always something going on at the Merrimack square from 1.30 to 10.30 p. m. Try a supper hour matinee.—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE

Ted and Clara Steele, that famous pair of rapid fire comedians heads the bill at the Colonial today. Their act is marked with snap and ginger that still continues to please and fascinate our patrons. The great La Velle, contortionist and trapeze artist whose skilful and daring tricks have won him fame from coast to coast. Frank Phipps, novelty singer and dancer. Don't fail to hear him play the mouth organ. His skill is remarkable. Remember our motion pictures and illustrated songs are the latest and finest that can be procured and are carefully selected to please our patrons. Just drop in and see for yourself. Entire change of bill tomorrow. The amateurs furnished fun galore last night.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The show for the first half of the week at this house is one that is full of comedy. The Tremont quartet is one of the best that has been seen here this season and harmonizes well. Alex Wilson, the clever ventriloquist, provokes some laughable comedy with his mechanical figures. Robinson and Bessela, the knockabout comedy singers and dancers, have an act that will surely please. Tonight is amateur night. The bill for Thursday includes the Geers, European Aerial Gymnasts. Dow and Dow, singers and dancers, and Charles Lee & Co., in a comedy playlet, "A Financial Mistake."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was a large attendance at the meeting of Division 8, A. O. H. last night. Daniel Reilly presided and considerable routine business was transacted during the night. The division voted to take part in the parade to be held in this city on the 19th of April. Reports were heard from various committees showing that the division is in a very prosperous condition. President Reilly reported for the county board meeting, which was held at Waltham on Sunday, and his report was most encouraging. He had the pleasure of reporting to the members that Division 8 leads Middlesex county by a very large margin, showing 359 members in good standing. The report was well received. There were several propositions for membership received, and it is assured that the division will do its share toward making the class initiation on April 16 a grand success.

The Reform Club

There was an unusually large attendance at the regular weekly business meeting of the Lowell Refom club in their parlors, Odd Fellows temple, last evening, President Noonan presiding.

A large amount of routine business was transacted and many committee reports were heard. The whist tournament committee announced that the whist tournament, in which great interest has been centered would close this week. The prizes will be given the winners at the next meeting.

A committee on baseball was appointed and a hustling team will be organized for the season, there being some fine material to select from among the younger members.

The Harmony Campers, composed of many of the hustling young members of the club, will plant their camp up the river in Tyngsboro this season. Many of the older members of the society were present at this meeting and words of encouragement were spoken to the young men, urging them to stick to their pledge during the summer months and stand by the club that had maintained such a pleasant home for them during the long winter evenings. The meeting was a most profitable one, and every effort will be put forth to maintain the present membership during the warm season now at hand.

The annual election and reports of the Lowell Reform club corporation will take place in the society's quarters, Odd Fellows temple, the first week in April.

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ANNUAL "HIKE"

Military Companies are Ready for Test

Great preparations are being made for the competitive march from the state house in Boston, to the state armory in Wesford street on April 19th, for the Humphrey O'Sullivan trophies and which will be held under the auspices of Company C, Sixth regiment, M. V. M. One hundred circulars holding the details of the march were mailed to different commanders in the six New England states yesterday. In the next few days the circulars, accompanied by entry blanks, will go to the southern and middle western states.

Inquiries have come from Florida and the Carolinas and from Ohio relative to the conditions to be imposed on the marchers and it is probable that squads of men from the militia of these states, together with crack squads from various arms of the regular army will be entered.

Capt. George W. Peterson is doing the heaviest kind of work in preparing for the hike. He believes that fully 100 squads will front the tape at the state house in an endeavor to lift the handsome trophies. He is aware of the fact that a whole lot will be going on in Lowell on April 19, but has received assurances that the hike will be welcomed as an additional attraction for the day.

The circular states that squads of eight enlisted men from one company, troop, battery, all regularly enlisted and mustered before April 1st, 1911, are eligible as contestants. The uniform to be worn for the hike will either be olive, drab or khaki, whichever is desired by the squad, together with leggings, campaign hat, suspender belt, haversack with mess kit, canteen and rifle. No collar roll will be worn. Each contestant must carry on his person all food and liquid to be taken during the march.

All contestants must be inspected before and after the march and their records verified in the adjutant general's office of each state and by the post commander of the regular establishment. Any man not regularly enlisted will disqualify the entire squad, of which he is a part.

The squads will start at 9 a. m. from in front of the state house in Boston. The route as yet has not been fully determined upon, but it must be followed throughout by every squad. Any gait is permissible, but all members of a quad must keep together at distances of not over three paces. The entire distance must be accomplished on foot, either walking or running. Halts and changes in gait are matters left to discretion of the squad commander.

Inspectors will follow the contestants to see that the rules are strictly enforced. The squad which arrives first in close order formation, at the lower step of the front entrance of the Lowell armory with all its members present will be the winner and will receive the O'Sullivan trophy.

The prizes will be awarded as follows: First, to the winning squad; second, to be given to contestants from the Massachusetts organized militia, and will be given to the squad from this state that finishes first unless winning the first prize, then to the next winning squad from Massachusetts.

The third prize will be given to the squad that finishes in second place or third place, as the case may be in order that one prize only may go to one squad.

The entry fee for each squad will be five dollars. It must be sent to the committee having the matter in charge before noon Saturday, April 15, 1911. One or more squads may be entered from the same company. Permission to march with arms must be obtained by company commanders under acts of 1908, chapter 64, section 163. The committee having charge of the hike are the officers of Company C, Sixth regiment: Capt. George W. Peterson, First Lieut. Harold J. Patten and Second Lieut. James J. Powers.

JULIA E. WARREN

OBSERVED 81ST ANNIVERSARY OF HER BIRTH

Mrs. Julia E. Warren of Chelmsford observed the 81st anniversary of her birth yesterday and the event was recognized by many of her friends who called at her home on the Boston road to extend their congratulations and good wishes. There were many offerings of beautiful flowers and candy.

Mrs. Warren is in excellent health and more than usually active and alert for one of her years and perhaps the fact that, while retaining a vivid and entertaining recollection of the past, she keeps fully abreast of present day affairs has much to do with her continued youthfulness.

31 YEARS OLD

Court Merrimack Observed Anniversary

The 31st anniversary of the organization of Court Merrimack, No. 11, Foresters of America, was observed last night by the members in Grafton hall, the anniversary taking the form of a minstrel entertainment, which was presented by the Pequot club, composed of young men of this city. The affair was a grand success and reflects much credit on the committee in charge of the arrangements.

JOHN W. SHARKEY,
Chief Ranger Court Merrimack, F. of A.

During the early part of the evening a short business meeting was held, Chief Ranger John W. Sharkey presiding. Several matters of importance were acted upon and considerable routine business transacted. Messrs. John W. Sharkey, Charles L. Marren, John McPadden, John Barrett, Joseph H. Dallagher and George R. O'Neil were elected delegates to the grand court convention. The alternates were: Thomas A. Berth, Patrick J. Mahoney, David Gerow, Dennis O'Brien, Ed Shanahan and John J. Duffy. Remarks were made by Grand Secretary William H. Stafford, Financial Secretary John McPadden; Sub Chief Ranger Thomas A. Berth and Charles L. Marren.

At the conclusion of the meeting the Pequot club furnished the following program:

Song, Frank Maguire, "All That I Want is Love;" end song, Warren Rogers, "If You Don't Change Your Living That's the Way You'll Die;" song, Michael Critcheley, "Where the River Shannon Flows;" end song, Samuel Cassen, "Follow the Car Track;" song, George Kerwin, "Honor Bright I Love You Right Old Pal;" finale, William Shea, "Give My Regards to Mabel."

The chorus consisted of 50 voices. Songs were rendered by James Fagan and John Myers. The accompanists were Wm. T. Gilmore and Robert Fay.

THE ART EXHIBIT

By Joseph A. Nesmith at Whistler House

An interesting exhibit of 19 pastels and two water colors, the work of Mr. Joseph A. Nesmith of this city, and president of the Lowell Art association, was opened in the Whistler house last evening. This collection was recently exhibited in the gallery of the Twentieth Century club in Boston, where it received most flattering commendation from the Boston art critics.

A. J. Philpott, writing in the Globe, after referring to the fact that Mr. Nesmith did not claim to be a professional, said he certainly was not an amateur, since he "amuses himself and amazes other people by his facility in sketching and the remarkable grasp he has of both the topographical and color problems," continued:

"When looked at as sketches these pictures by Mr. Nesmith are decidedly interesting and reveal a fine nature—one especially sensitive to the color brilliancy of light and the refinements of color in shadow; also to the relations which the sky ever bears to the landscape. These are really vivid tones; true in all color relations; and evidently the work of an artist who deeply loved the work he was doing. There is also that very necessary feeling of speed in this work which shows two things: the capacity to do the thing as it was seen and felt, and the ability to do it at the moment."

The paintings are finely framed by Hermann Dudley Murphy, the artist.

The exhibition will continue for two weeks.

10TH ANNIVERSARY

TO BE OBSERVED BY THE C. Y. M. L.

The members of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum are planning a celebration for May 9, to observe the 10th anniversary of the organization. The affair will consist of a banquet and a suitable program will be arranged.

At the last meeting of the lyceum a committee was also appointed to observe April 19 and also to act with the athletic committee in arranging for a marathon race to be held May 30. The secretary was instructed to send a letter of appreciation to John W. McEvoy, Esq., for his talk before the members on the evening of March 17. A feature of this last meeting was a lecture on "Culture," by Clarence Lang of West Point.

Charles Flynn was chosen floor director for the entertainment and dance to be held May 2.

RIVERLOOK CLUB

HELD COSTUME PARTY AT THE Y. W. C. A.

The Riverlook club gave a fine costume party in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium last night. The affair was attended by a large crowd and about 75 took part in the grand march.

The costumes were very picturesque and attracted considerable attention. There was a relay hoop race by the clowns, a game of "three deep," which was much disturbed by the antics of the clowns and the earnest efforts of the policeman to restore order.

A short program followed, consisting of two piano solos by Gertrude Merrill, a recitation by Alice Clavin, a dance by Leslie Wing and Mrs. Vida Walker. At the close, the prizes were awarded to the best groups: first, "Night and Morning," and second, the baby, nurse and policeman.

Then followed "Swanee River," rendered by the "Humaniphone," a remarkable instrument with human man faces for notes; this was directed by a graceful brown-tail moth, who was not at all disturbed when a note failed to sound, or produced a laugh instead; and this closed the gala evening, voted by all the "best ever."

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FLYNN ELECTED

Continued

on the 16th ballot. Mr. Flynn started out with 13 votes and wound up with the necessary 19.

The Joint Convention

It was 10.35 o'clock when Janitor Homer Turcotte, acting for the city messenger, announced the arrival of the board of aldermen in the councilmanic chamber and the joint convention was on with a full membership of both boards present. Chairman Gallagher read the order for the joint convention and, on motion of Councilman Gargan, seconded by Councilman Tracey, the body proceeded to the election of a city clerk with the following result:

Stephen Flynn, 9; P. F. Fitzgerald 6; Peter J. Brady, 4; Girard P. Dadman 17.

The lineup was as follows:

For Flynn—Aldermen Barrett, Flanagan, Rountree, Toupin, Gallagher; Councilmen Corbett, Crowley, Mahoney, Royal.

For Dadman—Achin, Allard, Berard, Bowers, Chadwick, Chapman, Cheney, Davis, Delaronde, Elliott, Fulton, Genest, Ranlett, C. B. Rogers, J. J. Rogers, Taylor, Whittet.

For Fitzgerald—Aldermen Buras, Jodoin, Connors, Daly; Councilmen Connor, Tracy.

For Brady—Brady, Coughlin, Donohoe, Gargan.

Alderman Rountree moved that the convention proceed to the election of city treasurer, and the motion was seconded. Councilman Royal moved as an amendment that a ballot be taken for city treasurer after a ballot for city clerk. The chair ruled the amendment out of order.

Councilman Tracy moved to lay on the table the motion to ballot for a city treasurer, and this motion was entertained, but a vote showed it to be lost, 24 to 11.

The convention then proceeded to ballot for city treasurer with the following result:

Andrew G. Stiles, 33; Thos. J. Fitzgerald, 3.

The three votes for Mr. Fitzgerald was cast by Alderman Barrett, Councilmen Gargan and Royal.

Mr. Stiles was declared elected.

On motion of Alderman Flanagan it was voted to proceed to a second ballot for city clerk. The result was:

Girard P. Dadman, 17; Stephen Flynn, 13; P. F. Fitzgerald, 4; Peter J Brady, 2

On this ballot Aldermen Connors and Daly shifted to Flynn, and Councilmen Coughlin and Gargan from Brady to Flynn.

There being no choice, another ballot for city clerk was taken with the following result:

Dadman, 17; Flynn, 16; Fitzgerald, 1; Brady, 2.

On this ballot all of the aldermen except Jodoin voted for Flynn.

The chair announced no choice and a fourth ballot was taken, with this result:

Flynn, 18; Dadman, 17; Brady, 1. Councilman Brady's vote was the only democratic vote against Flynn on this ballot, but it was sufficient to save the present clerk. The lineup was as follows:

For Flynn—All of the aldermen; Councilmen Connor, Corbett, Coughlin, Crowley, Donohoe, Gargan, Mahoney, Royal, Tracy.

For Dadman—Achin, Allard, Berard, Bowers, Chadwick, Chapman, Cheney, Davis, Delaronde, Elliott, Fulton, Genest, Ranlett, the two Rogers, Taylor Whittet.

For Brady—Brady.

A fifth ballot was taken, with the following result:

Dadman 17, Flynn 18, Brady 1.

The vote was exactly the same as that of the preceding ballot.

A motion to adjourn was defeated, as was a motion to dissolve the convention.

The convention took another ballot for city clerk, with this result: Dadman 17, Flynn 18, Brady 1. No choice.

Councilman Gargan arose on a question of privilege and made the statement that Peter J. Brady had abandoned his candidacy, and that Councilman Brady should understand this. He said Councilman Brady would vote indirectly for Mr. Dadman if he persisted in voting for Mr. Brady.

Another ballot was then taken, but without any change.

Ballot number eight was taken, and there was no change.

A ninth ballot was taken and the result remained unchanged.

The convention proceeded to a 10th ballot and there was still no choice.

Ballot No. 11 developed no change, and at 11.55, when a 12th ballot was proposed, Councilman Tracey moved that the city messenger send out for refreshments. The motion was declared out of order because of a motion to ballot having priority. The 12th ballot showed no change.

A motion at this point by Councilman Delaronde to dissolve was defeated, 19 to 17.

A 13th ballot was taken and the count still showed Dadman 17, Flynn 18, and Brady 1.

Councilman Tracy renewed his motion at this time (12.07) that the assistant city messenger be directed to send out for refreshments.

Councilman John Rogers moved that a yea and nay vote be taken. The count showed 33 against and there were no refreshments, much to the discomfiture of some of the hungry ones.

A 15th ballot was taken and there was still no change. Then a recess was taken and when the convention reconvened another ballot, the 16th, was in order when Brady shifted to Stephen Flynn and the latter was declared elected.

The convention was then dissolved.

The Board of Aldermen

The aldermen were called to order at 9.50 o'clock. The call for the special meeting was read by the chairman.

The report of the committee on appropriations, recommending the appropriation of $6000 for moth extermination, and desiring a talk with the state inspector of the work, and recommending the appropriation of $1000 from the general treasury fund for immediate use was read. The accompanying joint order to appropriate $1000 for the purpose aforesaid was read. Mr. Connors favored the order. Mr. Barrett spoke about a previous request he had made that the superintendent of moth extermination come before the city government and explain expenditures for the work.

Chairman Gallagher said Mr. Whittet would appear before the board of aldermen at the next regular meeting. The superintendent of state work would, he said, appear before the committee on appropriations at its next meeting. The order was then adopted.

The chairman appointed Messrs. Toupin and Rountree on the special committee to see about getting a playground in Little Canada.

Street petitions were referred to the committee on streets.

Notice of personal injury to Annie Miskella was ordered on file in the city clerk's office.

A joint communication from the mayor, concerning the payment for expenses of bridges in the city of Lowell, was read and referred to the city solicitor with instructions to appear in favor of the bill now pending.

A petition asking for a license to move a building from Gorham street to South Highland street, was read, petitioner being Andrew J. Donohoe. A hearing for April 18 was ordered.

An order asking for a hearing relative to a change in grade of Boston & Maine tracks on Jackson street, running into the coal shed of the Appleton mills was read. The date of April 18 being set for a hearing. The order was adopted.

The mayor's appointment of Henry F. Carr to be a member of the park commission for a term of five years was read and the appointment was confirmed.

At 10.15 o'clock a recess was taken, subject to a call of the chair. A half hour later the board came into session and voted to go into joint convention.

When the aldermen returned to their own chamber after the joint convention, Alderman Daly moved that a vote of thanks be extended City Clerk Dadman for his services as clerk to the board and for his very courteous treatment of the members at all times. The motion was passed unanimously.

The Common Council

President Elliott called to order at 10.30 o'clock after a delay of two and one-half hours spent in caucusing.

A joint communication from the park department was read and ordered on file. An order appropriating $1000 for moth extermination was adopted in concurrence.

Councilman Tracey moved that the question of electing a city solicitor be taken from the table. The motion was defeated. The order for a joint convention was read and unanimously adopted.

STEPHEN FLYNN,

Photo by Marion

ANDREW G. STILES,
City Treasurer.

Men's Spring Shoes

If you have any doubt, Sir, as to what sort of Shoes to wear this Spring, just step in and take a look at our handsome Spring lines, and set your mind at ease.

We've the Latest Word in Shoes of the Best Makes!

Button, Lace and Blucher style. Patent Colt and Gun Metal leathers. The new high toe and high arch effect.

$3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00

Then let us show you the season's new Oxfords.

Black or Tan leathers.

We'll assist you in getting your feet into a pair of Shoes that fit you perfectly, and then we'll guarantee you satisfaction until the finish.

O'Sullivan Bros. Co.
Feet Fitters Opp. City Hall

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Cure for Coughs and Colds

One and one-half ounces Balm of Gilead buds, one pound bruised rock candy, one pint Duffy's pure malt whiskey. (We recommend Duffy's on account of its purity and known medicinal value.) Put aside with occasional stirring until the rock candy is dissolved, then strain. Dose: For adults, one tablespoonful every hour; if the condition is acute, every half hour; for children over ten, a teaspoonful every hour; for children under ten, ten drops every hour until decided relief is felt. These simple ingredients, known to every druggist, can easily be secured and readily mixed by any one. Dr. George I. Russ, Canton, Mass., says: "This is vastly superior to the stereotype Rock and Rye of Commerce and should be call 'Balm of Gilead.'"

O'Donnell's Suits and Millinery

WILL LEAD IN THE EASTER STYLE PARADE

WHERE the labels on the Suits or Hats worn on the outside they would show a great majority for O'Donnell Dry Goods Co. It is time, now, madam, to select your new Suit or Hat for Easter. Right now the stocks in these departments are at the height of their completeness and although many women can step right into one of our suits and wear it without alterations or select a hat already trimmed to meet their approbation, should alterations be required or hat trimmed to order, it gives us plenty of time to do it satisfactorily. Quality and Style are the important features which have made our Suits and Hats the most celebrated among the women of Lowell today.

THESE WOOLTEX SUITS ARE READY TODAY

Wooltex Suits of knickerbocker cloth, in brown, tan, black and gray; new straight high waist-line skirt and smart coat 27 inches long at $25.00 Each.

Wooltex Suits of rough tweeds and other serviceable materials; short 27 inch coats and skirts having the new high waist-line; charmingly dressy models at $25.00 Each.

Fine French serge Wooltex Suits in shades of gray, blue, tan, brown, black, sage and other lovely shades—the perfection of refinement. Skirts are new, straight pleated models and the coats are hand tailored with a touch of satin and braid for trimming. An exceptional value at $25.00 Each.

Wooltex Suits of diagonal serges, developed in black and charming new shades, as well as staple blues and browns. Serviceability and style are combined in the new straight skirts and nobby coats—exceptional value at the price, $25.00 Each.

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THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

THE POLICE BOARD

Suspends License of the Arlington Hotel

MEN FOUND ON PREMISES AFTER HOURS

Moody St, Dealers Charged With Selling to Minors—Big Grist of Minor Licenses Granted

Martin W. Halloran, licensee of the Arlington hotel, appeared before the board of police at the regular meeting last night and was given a hearing on charges alleging that he had violated the conditions of his innholder's license by allowing liquor to be served after 11 o'clock. The complaint, which was made by Supt. Redmond Welch, stated that sales of liquor had been made to divers persons on or about 12.20 o'clock Sunday morning, March 19th. Mr. Halloran appeared without counsel and entered a plea of not guilty. After a brief hearing the board took the matter under advisement. About 9.30 o'clock it was announced that the board had suspended Mr. Halloran's license from 11 o'clock p. m., Thursday, March 30, to Monday, April 10, at 6 a. m.

Sergt. Alexander Duncan was the first witness called and he testified that he, accompanied by Inspectors Fox and Grady, visited the Arlington hotel at about 12.15 o'clock Sunday morning, March 19th. He made his way to a small room at the end of the bar and there found eight men. One man was drinking when he entered the room and there were eight glasses on a shelf. Witness asked the clerk what explanation he had for the men being present and the latter said the men had been there since 11 o'clock and he had been trying to get them out of the place, but was unsuccessful.

Questioned by Commissioner Boulger, Sergt. Duncan said that Mr. Halloran was not present and in answer to a question put by Commissioner Mullaney, witness said he did not see any liquor served.

Inspector William H. Grady corroborated the testimony offered by Sergt. Duncan.

Mr. Halloran said that after taking the cash register, shortly after eleven o'clock that night, he retired. He said he had given orders to all of his clerks not to serve drinks after hours and that if any had been served there was no money in the register in the morning to show that any sales had been made. He had also given orders not to allow any except employes to remain on the premises after eleven o'clock.

The case was taken under advisement and subsequently the board announced the suspension of Mr. Halloran's license for a period of ten days.

Other Hearing Postponed

Laurent Grenon and Benjamin K. Kilpatrick, of the firm of Grenon & Co., common victuallers of the first class, doing business at 368-370 Moody street, appeared before the board on a complaint charging them with having sold liquor to minors. Robert J. Crowley, counsel for the respondents, asked for a continuance and it was finally agreed to hold the hearing on April 5.

Minor License

Minor licenses were granted as follows:

Express—Thomas Casey, rear of 106 Chapel st.; Thomas Conniff, 42 North st.; John Buckley, 82 Linden st.; Joseph S. Cote, 156 Colburn st.; George Michalopoulos, 369 Market st.; Michael Reynolds, 139 Chapel st.; Ernest N. Bartlett, Billerica Centre, (Two licenses); City Transfer Co., (Gilbert W. Hunt), 801 Stevens st.; John B. Clancy, 25 Floyd st.; Everett D. Smith, 228 Middlesex st.; Samuel B. Palmer, 334 Beacon st.; Anastasias Nicolaros, 487 Market st.; John Q. Adams, 249 Walker st.; Patrick Convery, 54 Bartlett st.; Thomas G. Little, 60 Barclay st.; Stanislaus D. Monaszynsky, 239 Lakeview ave.; Adelard Berard, (two licenses), 677 Middlesex st.

Job wagon—Frederick W. Hanson, (two licenses), 556 Dutton st.

To sell ice cream, etc.—Michael F. Hayes, 884 Gorham st.; Michel Kalrina, 373 Market st.

Hawker and peddler—Morris Sokolsky, 18 Daly st.; Nathan Greenbaum, 101 Chelmsford st.; Adam Matyka, 15 Spring st.; Louis Eno, 5 Eagle court, off Middlesex st.; Ceylon A. Elwell, 138 Paige st.

Fish cart—Peter Currier, 377 Broadway; Henry Harris, (two licenses), 14 Church st.

Auctioneer—Charles F. Keyes, Green street.

Special police—Joseph N. Fulton, for and at the Merrimack Mfg. Co., without pay from the city.

This is Quarter Week at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

FAULT IS FOUND

With Conduct of State's Finances

BOSTON, March 29.—Fault is found with the conduct of the state's finances in a voluminous report issued last night by Expert Accountant Harvey S. Chase, recently appointed by Gov. Foss to investigate all state boards, departments and institutions.

Principal among Mr. Chase's criticisms are that no balance sheet is kept in the treasurer's office to show the current assets and liabilities; that the sinking funds are overstocked, thereby making the tax rate too high, and that there are slight errors in the computation of sinking funds.

Mr. Chase favors a state comptroller who shall have power over the financial departments of the state and shall keep a monthly summary of all financial operations and exhibit a monthly balance sheet. A more uniform system of accounting and simpler method of providing a sinking fund are also recommended.

Money deposited this week in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begins to draw interest Saturday.

LADY'S HANDBAG found. Owner can have same by calling at 61 Boisvert st. and proving property.

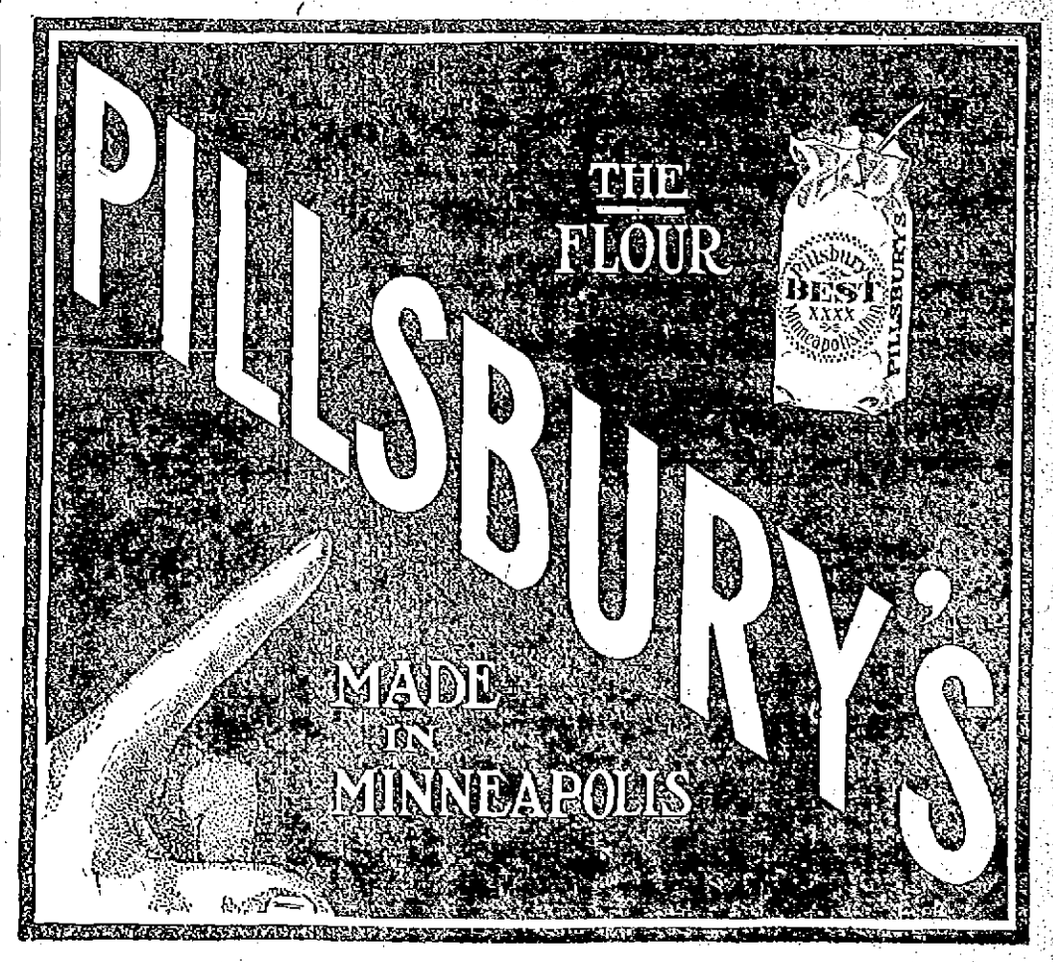
PASTOR CENSURED

BY COMMITTEE OF DIOCESAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

BOSTON, March 29.—Rev. William H. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, is censured in a report given out last night by the committee of the diocesan Sunday school union which investigated statements of Dr. Allen that one of the diocesan Sunday school teachers had denied the Virgin birth of the Saviour, as a result of which his church would withdraw its support from the union.

The report declares that the teacher referred to the Virgin birth as one of the articles of the creed which the church has declared as matters of faith but has not defined.

Rev. Dr. Allen says he stands by his original statement.



REV. FR. MULLIN

Royally Welcomed by People of St. Peter's

Popular Curate Returning After Five Months' Illness is Tendered a Reception and Presented a Substantial Purse of Money

"Back among the old folks once again," Rev. W. George Mullin, the popular curate at St. Peter's church who for the past five months has been absent from his clerical duties on account of serious illness returned to Lowell yesterday and received a welcome that warmed his heart.

During the 13 years of his assignment at St. Peter's, Fr. Mullin has

REV. W. GEORGE MULLIN.

taken a special interest in the Immaculate Conception sodality of which he is spiritual director, and it was this sodality that arranged the reception in his honor which was held in Lincoln hall. The sodality was represented by several hundred members while other parishioners, the clergy of St. Peter's and personal friends of Fr. Mullin from all over Lowell and some other close friends from Cambridge were present by special invitation from the sodality. Fr. Mullin arrived in town Saturday after a week spent in the Bermudas and hence the reception last evening.

The exercises were presided over by Miss Mary G. Quinn, president of the Immaculate Conception sodality and seated with her on the platform besides the recipient of the evening's honors were Rev. Dr. Keleher, Rev. D. J. Heffernan, Rev. John F. Burns, Rev. John T. O'Brien, Miss Lulu Ginty, chairman of the committee on arrangements, and Prof. Hugh Molloy of the state normal school.

The exercises opened with an overture by the Festival Ladies' orchestra, followed by the selections "Rag Tag" March (Williams) and "Onion Rag" (Weidt) by St. Peter's banjo, mandolin and guitar club, 42 members, under the direction of William P. Hovey. At this point the audience upon request arose and sang "Auld Lang Syne." Next Mr. James Coughlin gave a recitation which was well received. This was followed by a song by Miss Katherine Mullin; reading, Miss Ruth Kirby; song, Miss Mae Whiteley.

Presented Purse

Prof. Molloy was then introduced and after expressing with characteristic eloquence the affection felt by the people of St. Peter's parish for their curate, he presented Fr. Mullin a substantial purse of money as a token of their love and esteem and an earnest of their good wishes for his future health and happiness.

Fr. Mullin was visibly moved but he succeeded in composing himself sufficiently to reply in a graceful manner, expressing his profound gratitude and appreciation of this mark of friendship.

Rev. Dr. Keleher then spoke briefly after which the musical program was resumed as follows: Violin solo, Miss Ethel Sharrow; song, James E. Donnelly; song, Miss Ruth Halpin; reading, Miss Alice Gilligan, and "Te Deum" by the audience. The accompanists were Misses Marietta Gormley and Kathryne Cooney.

The song rendered by Miss Halpin was composed by Rev. Fr. Harkins of St. Margaret's parish.

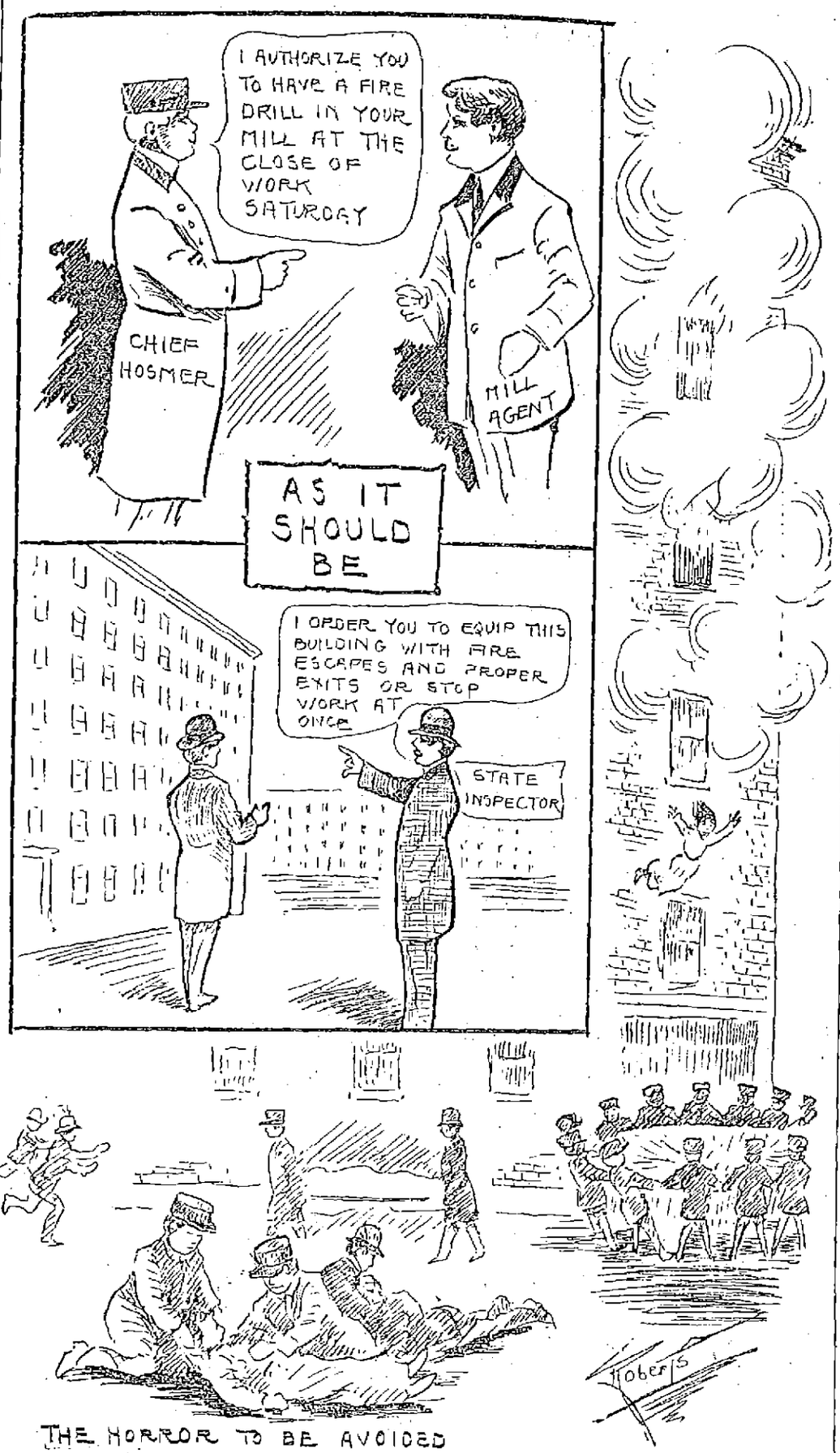
Little Miss Alice Gilligan won great applause as she mounted the stage with a basket of red carnations as high as herself and in fitting words presented them to Fr. Mullin. This was the gift of the children of Mary.

The committee of arrangements consisted of the following named: Miss Lulu Ginty, chairman; Marietta Gormley, Katherine Mullin, Margaret Ryan, Mary Riley, Mary Quinn, Josephine Hayes, Mary Flanagan.

Assistants: Minnie Roark, Della Daley, Katherine O'Connell, Minnie Bushnell, Gertrude McQuade, Mary Tobin, Mary Green, Marietta Carroll, Mary Morris, Mary James, Mollie Donohoe.

The officers of the sodality are: Miss Mary G. Quinn, president; Miss Catherine Tobin, first assistant; Miss Mary O'Rourke, second assistant; Miss Josephine Barrett, secretary; Miss Mary Flanagan, treasurer.

Miss Gilligan, who presented the basket of carnations to Fr. Mullin is a remarkably bright little girl and her presentation remarks delighted the audience and were especially pleasing to Fr. Mullin.



THERE SHOULD BE NO POSSIBILITY OF A DUPLICATION OF THE NEW YORK FIRE HORROR IN LOWELL

MEXICAN REBELS

Suffered a Decisive Defeat Near Ures on Monday

AGUA PRIETA, Mexico, March 29.—Messages from Governor Torres over federal wires to Agua Prieta and messages to the rebel junta here show that the rebels suffered a decisive defeat near Ures Monday. The rebel losses are placed at 75 dead and many wounded. The messages to the rebel junta place the number of federal dead at 30.

The rebels a few days ago ceased cutting telegraph wires and instead tapped the wires and caught federal messages. It is believed that the federal government sent decoy messages which misled the rebels. Rebels at San Rafael, near Ures, were joined by Giron and a force, for Sahuaripa and the combined force took up quarters in the old federal barracks.

Col. Ojeda, who had collected forces from Hermosillo had obtained information that the rebels were at San Rafael. Before approaching the town he divided his force into two wings, which closed in on the old barracks.

Captain Baron of the Sonora rurales formed part of the advancing column, mounted, and this force almost succeeded in cutting off the rebel retreat.

PROPOSALS MADE

LOOKING TO ESTABLISHING PEACE IN MEXICO

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 29.—Recent happenings in connection with Mexican affairs were largely explained yesterday in interviews with Francisco I. Madero, Sr., and Gustavo Madero.

Tentative peace proposals have been made, and on the administration side have been acted on. In the view of Don Francisco, peace is assured; if not within 10 days, then at the farthest within a month.

President Diaz, it is reported, will insist in a message to the Mexican congress that peace be concluded.

On the vital point of why they were so certain that the tentative arrangement would within a short time result in a sealed compact of peace, father and son were silent. They answered freely every other question.

When the elder Madero and Limantour met recently the very meeting was denied Yesterday it was admitted that the interview concerned peace alone.

Limantour agreed to obtain every concession possible from the government to make possible formal negotiations for peace. Don Francisco, the elder, promised likewise.

Limantour moved first. The resignation of the aged Diaz cabinet followed his first interview with President Diaz.

"With only the resignation of the cabinet as an evidence of good faith, would you trust yourself on Mexican soil to discuss peace?" Don Gustavo Madero was asked today.

"Well, scarcely," smiled the latter.

On this point nothing more definite was obtainable, but the inference was left that San Antonio is destined to be in a less important way, another Portsmouth.

President Diaz, it was said, will retire with all the honors due his distinguished services. Senor Limantour was firm on this point as the basis of preliminary negotiations.

The basic concessions, which it is believed, will be ratified later, include the resignation of Diaz and holding of an election where the suffrage shall be unconstrained and free. This arrangement includes the elimination of Vice-President Corral, a sick man, than whom it is said there is probably no more unpopular man in Mexico. Limantour, minister of finance, or De La Barra, the new foreign minister pro tempore, will exercise the functions of his office. Diaz, according to the program, will remain in office with his new and somewhat unsatisfactory cabinet about him, until the country is at rest. When factory wheels are again turning and railroad trains running without fear of wreck at destroyed bridges, the "iron man" will step down and out, it is believed. Limantour or De LaBarra will then become acting president and within 60 days will call an election.

"Will you feel that a greater guarantee of the sanctity of the ballot other than the assurance of the administration is necessary, or do you wish the United States should man the polls?" Don Gustavo was asked.

"Emphatically, the intervention of the United States has not been asked, nor do we consider it necessary," was the reply. "Mexico can and will work out her own destiny."

"Do you know why American troops are mobilized on the border, then?"

"Certainly; Mr. Taft has said 'maneuvers' and no doubt that is the only reason."

The fundamental demands of the revolutionists include the following:

Reiteration legally of the re-election-ist clause in the constitution, prohibiting more than one term for president.

Obnoxious governors of states, appointed by Diaz against the wishes of the citizens of the states affected, to be deposed.

Universal education at the cost of the state, especially for the peasant or peon class.

Despite evasions in the interviews, which were given with every courtesy, between every line it was apparent that the mobilization of the American troops had played the major part in bringing the two sides in Mexico together. In Mexico there is no one except foreigners who can see any catastrophe greater than intervention by the United States.

Don Gustavo explained that on the insurrecto side forces will disperse during the expected peace negotiations, but they will not drop their arms. Technically the government's refusal to treat with an armed force still stands good; and the force will scatter, but still have rifles and ammunition. As every man is mounted they can remobilize within a week.

FOR DEFENSE OF CAMORRISTS

CHICAGO, March 29.—Chicago Italians under threats of death, have contributed $100,000 or more, it is believed, for the defense of Luigi Arena and his brother comorrists on trial in Viterbo, Italy, according to the Tribune. This information, given by a resident of Little Sicily, in part was verified by a reference to records of the postoffice and of banks through which the money has been sent to Italy.

Coincident with the statement that blood money had been wrung from the Italians of Chicago it was learned that secret service men seek a supposed Chicago agent of the camorra who for three months collected funds in the Italian colony.

MAN WAS DESPONDENT

BENNINGTON, Vt., March 29.—In his determination to end his life, John Waite, a mill operative, shot himself twice with a shotgun and then with a stroke of a razor cut his throat last night. The man had recently lost his place in a local mill and is believed to have been despondent over his enforced idleness. Waite was found dying late last night by his 13-year-old son, who was returning from the theatre. The boy rushed immediately for medical assistance and the doctors arrived a moment or two before Waite died.

Investigation showed that Waite had held the muzzle of the gun against his breast but the weapon was so long that he could not hold it at right angles to the body and the two shots that were fired entered his breast obliquely. The man then managed to crawl to a bureau where he took his razor and slashed his throat.

BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

BOSTON, March 29.—A resolve providing for an unpaid commission to investigate and report on the best method of cooperating with the federal authorities in the establishment of inland waterways along the Atlantic coast was signed today by Gov. Foss. The committee will report to the legislature on May 1.

Gov. Foss also signed a bill today which permits savings banks to establish branch offices in school buildings.

SHAW TRUSTEES

Paid the Taxes Under Protest

BOSTON, March 29.—The Boston assessors yesterday refused to abate the taxes on the Quincy A. Shaw estate for 1910, and in the afternoon the trustees of the estate deposited in payment a check for $165,175.43 under protest.

The assessors issued the following statement:

"By giving trustees Quincy A. Shaw, Robert F. Herrick and Francis C. Welch of the Quincy A. Shaw estate 'leave to withdraw,' the board of assessors today refused to make an abatement of $274,842.68, the tax on $16,758,700, which was levied upon them as executors for 1910.

"This action is taken for the purpose of allowing the trustees to pay that amount into the city treasury under protest, and then to begin their action before the supreme court for a ruling whether the trustee managers of the estate were officiating on April 1 as executors or trustees.

"At the same time that the trustees filed a petition for the abatement of the tax of $137,269.08 which was levied upon them as trustees in the December warrant, on a tax of $8,360,700. The assessors have not taken action on the latter petition, it being necessary to await the decision of the supreme court in the other action.

"If the supreme court rules in favor of the city of Boston, it will be entitled to the entire amount of the bigger tax. If it is adverse, the city will then get the tax levied on the trustees, and the difference between that and the tax on the executors will be divided between Brookline, Beverly and Milton."

The payment of yesterday was in addition to the $115,000 paid under protest on January 21, the two payments aggregating the full amount levied by the assessors. Yesterday's check covered the payment of taxes divided as follows: Assessed valuation, $163,116.16, interest, $5327.18 taxes on December warrant $726.50, interest and costs $5.57, making a total of $165,175.43.

HIS NOSE INJURED

Elmer Penn fell off a load of hay in upper Dutton street about 11.30 o'clock this morning and suffered an injury to his nose. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to his home, 3 Penn avenue.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

SOCIAL SESSION

Local Elks Held Forth Last Evening

Manager Carroll of the Merrimack Square theatre, rode the goat in the Elks last evening at their regular initiation and at last reports was doing nicely. After the initiation one of the celebrated social sessions was held at which there was a wealth of talent, including many professionals from the local theatre and the Elks' own talent which is numerous and first class. A feature of the social entertainment was a program by Prof. Nicholas Petropolous, of Athens, Greece, a friend of the king of that country and an artist who has performed in private audiences before the crowned heads of Europe. Prof. Petropolous performs on the mandolin and mandola, the latter being an instrument of his own invention which is attracting the attention of the musical world.

The mandola on which the professor gave his program last evening, is valued at $3000. It is made of tortoise-shell, gold and silver and its tone is most captivating. The professor demonstrated the possibilities of his instrument by reeling off grand opera after grand opera to the huge delight of the many musical critics in the audience. Next Sunday evening, Prof. Petropolous will give a concert for his fellow-countrymen and the public at large, in Associate hall. While in Lowell he is the guest of George Couzoules, former Greek consul.

DARING ROBBER

THROWN OUT OF HOUSE BY A WOMAN

PROVIDENCE, March 29.—Mrs. Beatrice Sharpe of 258 Dudley street ousted a strong-arm daylight robber from her library yesterday. She had been out to a tea and returning home was surprised to walk in upon the intruder sitting at her private writing desk.

"What are you doing here?" she demanded, as she started to seize the stranger.

"How did I get here?" queried the housebreaker in return, who kept on jotting down a list of articles, which later proved to be a memorandum of effects he evidently intended to carry away.

Before the robber could face about and attack Mrs. Sharpe she seized him and getting a hold on his coat collar and another on his arm, police fashion, she hurled him out of the house and off the doorstep into the roadway.

The house had been thoroughly looked over, after entrance had been gained with a jimmy through a sitting room window.

The police have an excellent description of the crook.

TANK EXPLODED

Men Narrowly Escaped Serious Injury

BOSTON, March 29.—Three men riding in an automobile on Clarke road in Brookline late yesterday afternoon had a narrow escape from serious injury when a 22-gallon gasoline tank on the rear of the machine exploded, setting the car afire.

In the automobile were Pelig B. Inglis of Dartmouth street, city, chauffeur for Neil F. Doherty, a Cambridge street merchant, owner of the car; Joseph R. Downey of 113 Main street, Charlestown, draw tender at the Charlestown bridge, and a young man unknown to the other two, who had asked for a ride over from Dorchester.

Mr. Downey's eyelashes, mustache and hair was singed and he suffered burns on the face. He was in the rear seat and the concussion threw him over into the lap of the man riding with Inglis. Downey was taken to a hospital.

The explosion was heard half a mile. Inglis applied his brake and jumped. Mr. Downey and the third man found difficulty in escaping from the blazing car.

One of the party sounded a fire alarm from box 151. The blazing gasoline ignited the stubble of a grass plot beside the roadway.

The large tank was burst in two and ripped almost to pieces. A heavy trunk rack was blown 25 feet away. The rear lamp and registry number were also blown some distance. The rear of the car was blown into the air.

Mr. Doherty figures that his loss will amount to between $500 and $600.

N. E. CONFERENCE

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., March 28.—Formal organization of the 71st annual session of the New England southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which is meeting at the South church here, was effected this morning and the conference settled down to the transaction of the business which has called it together. Preceding the meeting for organization holy communion was administered and during the latter part of the morning a memorial service was held. This evening the five hundred clerical members and lay delegates and their friends will be welcomed to the town by Horace B. Cheney, chairman of the board of selectmen, Bishop Earl Cranston, the presiding officer of the conference, responding. Later in the evening the anniversary of the board of conference claimants will be held with an address by Rev. Dr. Clemens.

PEARY A REAR ADMIRAL

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Commander Robert Peary was today commissioned a civil engineer with the rank of rear admiral, in accordance with the act of congress, passed at the last session. The appointment is to date from April 6, 1909, the day he reached the North pole.

HELD IN $7000

CRANSTON, R. I., March 29.—James D. Lloyd, superintendent and general manager of the Shawmut Finishing Co., pleaded not guilty to two charges of larceny in the district court today, waived examination and was held for the grand jury. Bail was reduced from $10,000 to $7000, which was furnished.

HOUSING PROBLEM

Taken Up by the Local Board of Trade

The question of solving the housing problem in Lowell has been taken up by the committee on public health of the board of trade and a sub-committee has been appointed to draft a tentative plan for a satisfactory housing proposition in this city. The committee on public health consists of Cyrus A. Durgin, chairman; Dr. G. Forrest Martin, Dr. J. B. Field, Building Inspector James Dow, Rev. George F. Kenngott, James F. Owens, Park Commissioner Thaller P. Hall, and Arthur L. Gray.

In connection with this commendable movement at the First Trinitarian Congregational church next Sunday at 4.30 o'clock a lecture will be given by Edward T. Hartman of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts Civic league on the Housing Problem, to which the members of the board of trade are especially invited. Mr. Hartman has made a special study of this problem and his talk will be of greatest interest.

NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—There was no choice for United States senator at today's joint ballot. The democratic caucus will reconvene tonight in an attempt to name a compromise candidate.

FIRE DISASTER

Official Inquiry Into Cause of It Resumed Today

NEW YORK, March 29.—There was o let-up today in the official probing f last Saturday's factory fire disaster n which 143 persons lost their lives. The death of one victim during the ight brought the total up to the figre given. Twenty charred bodies till are unidentified. On Saturday hese bodies, or such of them as relaives and friends have by that time een unable to identify, will be buried in Mount Sinai cemetery.

Attention was largely centered today in that phase of the investigation taken in charge by District Attorney Whitman in an effort to fix responsibilily for the catastrophe. Mr. Whitman summoned many witnesses to his office to get their testimony in shape for presentation to the grand jury. Fire Marshal Beers continued the examination of witnesses in his investigation.

A LIVELY DISCUSSION

Democrats Opposed to Closing of Cheever Street School

The joint convention of the city council was not the only "big thing" at city hall last night. There was a meet- of the school board and there was more good plain talk and lively discussion at this session than has marked a meeting of the board for some time. Two matters that provoked debate were recommendations of the committee on teachers that the Cheever street school be closed and that an out of town woman selected by the principal of the Normal school be chosen to the staff of the Bartlett school. The democrats fought both these propositions and succeeded in having final action postponed for one month, by offering motions to reconsider after the motions to accept the recommendations had been passed by a vote of 5 to 4. When the Cheever street school closing matter was reached, it was stated that because of the small attendance it was deemed advisable, in order to save expense, to close the school. Mr. McKenzie at once objected and said that there were other schools that could not compare with the Cheever street school in point of attendance and yet there was no demand that they be closed. He said that it was an injustice to the people of the district to oblige them to send their little ones to another school farther away and he asked the members to vote against the adoption of the recommendation of the committee. Mr. Mahoney also opposed the closing of the school and stated that there are twelve primary schools in the city having a lower attendance of pupils than the Cheever street school. He also said that it was wrong to oblige these children to go to the Greenhalge school and encounter the danger of crossing railroad tracks and the trudge through slush and snow in stormy weather. The motion to close the school was passed, 5 to 4, and a motion to reconsider at the next meeting was offered.

On the question of the new teacher in the Bartlett school, Mr. Farrington objected strongly and incidentally handed out some parliamentary points that had the chairman worried for a time. Mr. Farrington said that while he recognized the fact that an agreement was made with the state that teachers in the Bartlett school should be nominated by the principal of the Normal school, yet there are rules prepared by the republican members of last year's board stating that no person can become a teacher in the public schools until she has been passed upon by a board of supervisors. He said that he has no objection to the teacher, but he did believe that if rules are made, they should be lived up to, and that they take preference over any agreement that may have been entered into, until they are changed.

Mr. Payne also opposed the election of an out of town teacher and told the board that there are in Lowell today at least a dozen girls, graduates of leading colleges of the country, who are qualified to take the position which it is proposed to give to an out of town girl. The vote was 5 to 4 as in the previous case and Mr. Farrington gave notice of reconsideration.

The report of the committee on teachers was as follows:

The committee on teachers recommended that the Cheever street school be closed on and after April 1, and that teachers and pupils be transferred as follows:

Miss Helen Kohawn to the Greenhalge school, where the master, Mr. Wood, shall be authorized to open another room.

Miss Elizabeth Provencher, with her pupils and those of Miss Kohawn to the Green school.

Miss Ida J. Clarke, principal at Cheever street, with her pupils and those of Miss Frappler, to the Cabot street school as principal.

Miss Eugenie V. Frappler to the temporary list, though with the full pay of an assigned teacher, until a permanent place can be found for her.

The extremely small attendance at the Cheever street school was the reason assigned for the consolidation, with the teacher's salary, janitor service and coal. It was estimated that at least $1500 would be saved. Opposition developed to the closing of the school and the report was not adopted.

A certificate of the fourth grade was granted to Miss Eva Craven, a graduate of the Perry Kindergarten Normal school of Boston.

The committee on school houses and hygiene recommended, and it was voted, that the inspector of public buildings be directed to install the Bartlett drinking fountain in the public schools, under the direction of the committee.

The same committee recommended and it was voted, that John T. McCarty be made permanent janitor at the Green school, and that Thomas J. McGee be elected janitor at the New Moody street school. The two men were regularly elected.

It was voted to grant the request of Mr. Stott, sealer of weights and measures, for the use of a room in the Mann school.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie Herlihy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Nora T. Donahoe, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of May, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

James E. O'Donnell, Attorney.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Lena Maude White, of Ayer, in said County, that she was lawfully married to John A. White, now of parts unknown, whose last known place of residence was Boston, Mass., at Groton, in said County, the thirtieth day of April, A. D. 1902, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said John A. White lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Boston and New York, in the State of New York; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said John A. White, being wholly regardless of the same, at said New York and said Boston, on or about the twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1902, and subsequently did subject your libellant to cruel and abusive treatment; also at said Boston, on or about the thirtieth day of July, A. D. 1902, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued said desertion from the last named date to the time of filing this libel, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing hereof; also being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide suitable maintenance for your libellant.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said John A. White, and for such other orders and decrees as to your Honors shall seem meet, and as justice may require.

Dated the ninth day of February, A. D. 1911.

LENA MAUDE WHITE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, February 11, A. D. 1911.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of May next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

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LOST AND FOUND

BUNCH OF KEYS lost between M. O'Keeffe's store on Central st. and Appleton st. Finder please return to 227 Central st.

GOLD MARKED BUTTON lost Wednesday afternoon, March 22, in vicinity of Merrimack, Central, Gorham and Thorndike sts. Finder return to 29 Wamesit st. Reward.

POCKETBOOK lost containing sum of money, Monday morning, in vicinity of Boott mill yard. Reward for return to office Boott mills.

HANDBAG lost, containing pocketbook with sum of money, 2 keys and box of pills, between Knox's 5c and 10c store and John st. Please return to 63 Tyler st.

FOUR $1 BILLS lost Saturday, March 25th, in butcher shop, cor. Howe and East Merrimack sts., or by way of Fayette and Chestnut sts. to 174 High st. Finder please return to 174 High st., down stairs tenement, and receive reward.

NURSE'S LOWELL HOSPITAL CLASS PIN lost Sunday night between Mt. Vernon st. and Merrimack sq., or on Christian Hill car. Owner's name on back. Reward for return to 93 Mt. Vernon st.

PAIR OF GOLD ROSARY BEADS found in Lincoln hall, Sunday evening, March 19. Owner can have same by calling at 26 Tyler st. and paying for adv. Call after six evenings.

PURSE FOUND—Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this adv. Mrs. C. J. Haines, Opera House.

POCKETBOOK lost in Union Market, Saturday. Reward for return to Union Market, Middlesex st. No questions asked.

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TAILOR

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.40	6.50	5.15	4.05
a5.27	7.41	6.14	7.11
6.32	7.18	7.55	8.57
b5.41	7.53	8.15	9.01
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.53
7.21	8.05	b9.51	11.04
a7.31	8.48	10.00	10.56
7.53	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.43	9.25	12.00	1.02
8.53	9.35	12.30	1.07
b9.05	10.20	1.00	1.37
9.43	10.28	2.00	2.45
9.59	11.04	3.00	3.55
10.43	11.20	b3.51	5.02
11.19	12.00	4.00	4.36
12.12	1.00	a4.14	5.32
1.40	2.25	5.00	5.37
2.51	3.27	b5.21	6.26
3.51	4.40	6.35	6.28
4.33	5.27	b5.51	7.05
5.20	6.15	a6.14	7.30
b5.10	7.12	7.35	8.05
6.18	7.00	8.35	9.05
7.35	8.20	10.30	11.31
9.45	10.35	11.15	12.06

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.30	7.18	9.00	10.00
1.31	8.05	10.00	10.36
7.55	8.39	11.30	12.07
8.45	9.49	1.00	1.57
9.20	10.15	5.00	5.02
10.25	11.21	7.30	8.06
2.18	2.55	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.05	10.14	10.52
7.35	8.20	10.29	11.55
9.46	10.30		

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.08	9.03	7.30	8.53
9.50	10.53	9.24	10.44
10.00	11.08	10.15	11.24
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
z1.50	2.57	2.14	3.20
3.10	4.18	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.34	4.56	6.05
5.08	6.25	6.03	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.48
9.44	10.40	9.15	10.33
		x11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.14	3.28
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.31
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

References:

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LOCAL NEWS

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Saturday is Quarter Day at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

Open an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. April 1st is "Quarter Day."

A month's mind mass of requiem will be sung in St. Peter's church, Friday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of the late Michael Leonard.

There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of the late Frederick J. Burns, on Saturday morning, April 1st, at 8 o'clock, at the church of the Immaculate Conception.

Mrs. D. E. Knight entertained the members of her Sunday School class Monday evening at her home in Branch street. The evening was very pleasantly passed in games, music, etc. Refreshments were served.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Leoncha Regan of Lowell and Thomas F. Kelly, formerly of Lowell but now of Clinton, Mass. Mr. Kelly is overseer of dyeing at Bradfelt Worsted Co., Clinton, Mass. The wedding will take place next month.

A reception to Rev. Ransom A. Greene, D. D., and Mrs. Greene will be given Thursday night, April 6, by the Grace Universalist church, with which Rev. Dr. Greene is soon to sever his connection to go to Charlestown. All friends of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Greene are cordially invited to be present.

BIG RACE TRACK

IS TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION, IT IS DECIDED

NEW ORLEANS, March 29.—The City park racetrack property is to go on the block. At a meeting of the directors of the New Orleans Jockey club last night the vote resulted in a decision to advertise the property at once for sale. It is said, however, that the city may take over the property as an addition to City park, adjoining the racing plant. It is generally conceded that the racing game is dead in this state.

By Charles F. Keyes, Auctioneer,
10 Green Street, Lowell, Mass.

Adjourned Mortgagee's Sale

The sale advertised in The Lowell Sun on the 15th, 22nd and 29th of October, 1910, to take place under a certain mortgage given to Jean J. Vanderveer by Richard Cummings, dated September 21, A. D. 1907, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 413, Page 371, which mortgage was duly assigned to the Brown-Wales Company of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, a corporation duly established by law, by an instrument in common form dated September 22nd, A. D. 1910, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 457, Page 556, and subsequently assigned to me by said Brown-Wales Company by an instrument in common form dated October 6, A. D. 1910, recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 457, Page 424, and which was adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 192 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1911, has been again adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 192 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1911.

For description and terms see published notice.

FREDERICK H. CHASE,
Assignee of said mortgage.
Thomas J. Enright,
Attorney for mortgagee.
Lowell, Mass., March 23, 1911.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

DEATHS

WOODBURY—Oscar Woodbury died last night at Flint's sanatorium, Dracut, aged 32 years, 19 months and five days. He is survived by a father, Nathan K. Woodbury of Northfield, Vt., six brothers, Arthur of Haverhill, Herman and Burton, of Northfield, Vt. Gilbert E., Arlon L. and Eugene L. of Lowell and one sister, Miss Gladys E. Woodbury of Lowell.

McALEER—Michael McAleer, a well known member of the Immaculate Conception church, died yesterday at his home, 33 Chestnut street. Deceased is survived by two daughters, Jennie and Elizabeth, a son, James, and two sisters, Mrs. Rose McQuade and Mrs. Mary Sullivan. Mr. McAleer was a member of the Holy Name society.

PALLATTO—Died in this city, March 28, at the home of his parents, Antonio and Annie, 117 Crosby street, Niro Pallatto, aged 1 year, 2 months, 12 days.

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Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Tel. 2405.

Big Furniture Sale at Keyes' Commission Rooms, Old B. & M. Depot, Green St., On Next Thursday, March 30, Commencing at 1.30 P. M.

Goods consist in part of 27 tapestry rugs in various sizes from 6x6 to 9x12, 2 heavy brass beds, 2 cherry bookcases, 9 ft. high, with five shelves and six drawers each, 2 oak hall stands, an oak combination bookcase and desk, 5 oak centre tables, 25 chairs and rockers, 4 iron beds, with National springs, one hair mattress, No. 8 Home-Crawford range, with hot water front, Glenwood range with hot water front, practically new, 3 oak chiffoniers, 3 Morris chairs, oak chamber set of 10 pieces, 2 oak sideboards, 2 round oak tables, 3 kitchen tables, 5-piece parlor suit, 7 strips of hall and stair carpet, lot of small rugs, 4 mission chairs, with red leather seats, would make a very pretty den set, mahogany rocker, 6 brass costumers, black walnut dresser with marble top, very handsome dark oak dining-room set, consisting of a buffet china closet, 6 chairs with leather seats, and a round dining table. This set has been in use but five months; 2 sliding couches, 2 refrigerators, 3 couches, 5-piece haircloth set, Morris chair upholstered in leather, several willow rockers, Angelus piano attachment with genuine mahogany case, mahogany bench, a very handsome upright piano, practically new. This is a beautiful instrument and if you are in the market for a piano it will be to your advantage to call in and examine this one before the sale. We have had consigned one hundred (100) very nice pictures in various sizes and subjects, a few of them choice oil paintings; also 30 mirrors, some oval, some square, and some of the Marie Antoinette style, a Davis sewing machine, and a lot of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Goods are now on exhibition. Open evenings. Remember the sale is next Thursday, March 30, at 1.30, and that we take no goods on a limit and everything must be sold. You will find it to your advantage to call and examine the goods and get the numbers of the articles which interest you before the day of sale.

C. F. KEYES.

ANDOVER ST. LINE

Towns and Villages Affected Are Most Enthusiastic

It didn't take Secretary Murphy more than a few hours yesterday to learn that the people of Tewksbury, Frye Village, Haggett's Pond and Andover are most enthusiastic over the proposition of the Lowell board of trade to have the Boston and Northern Street Railway extend its Andover street line in North Tewksbury to Andover, a distance of six miles, accommodating thousands of residents.

Mr. Murphy acting under instructions of the committee on railways and transportation visited the villages and towns interested in the project yesterday and talked with the board of trade of Andover.

Secretary Murphy is now arranging a meeting between the selectmen of Tewksbury and Andover, the board of trade committee and General Manager Sullivan of the Boston and Northern to be held in Boston next Tuesday when the combined forces will set forth the advantages of such an extension to Manager Sullivan.

Cook, Taylor & Co.
Merrimack Street Store.

Thursday's Special Bargains

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES

Ladies' Heavy Serge Suits, pure wool, heavy satin lined, all sizes, all shades, values $15, $10.98

Ladies' Odd Sample Suits, pure wool, satin lined, value $12.50, $6.98

Children's Good Cotton Drawers, 9c a pair

Choice Drummers' Sample Suits, guaranteed lining, very choice shades in all sizes. These are better than we have seen anywhere marked for $25. Thursday $15.98

Odd Lot Long Cloth Coats, value $5.00 .....$3.98

Odd Lot Short Cloth Coats, sizes $8.50 .....$3.98

Children's New Spring Coats $1.98

Choice Navy Tan and Black Serge Coats, value $12.50.....$8.98

About 35 Choice Pongee Serge and Satin Coats, all shades, special prices.

Ladies' Choice Dress Skirts $1.98

Ladies' Fine Panama Dress Skirts, value $4.50 .....$2.98

Pretty Voile Dress Skirts, value $7.00 ..... $4.98

Best Slip-on Rain Coats, $2.48 each

Fine Kid Gloves, value $1.00, 69c

Chamoisette Gloves...25c a pair

Silk and Messaline Shirtwaists, value $5.50 .....$1.98

50 Dozen Regular $1.50 and $2.00 Fine Prettily Embroidered Lawn and Lingerie Waists...98c each

Pretty Gingham and Lawn Waists from 50c to 29c

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Night Robes, value 59c.....39c

Ladies' Pretty White Petticoats, best cotton, hamburg trimmed, value $1.00 .....69c

Pretty Lace Trimmed Corset Covers from 25c to.....15c

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Drawers from 25c to 17c

Fine Mercerized Petticoats from 75c to 49c

Extra Large Mercerized Petticoats from $1.50 to.....98c

Odd Lot Soiled Underwear at Less Than Half Cost.

Ladies' Handbags from 50c to 25c

50 Dozen Ladies' Pretty Collars and Jabots sold for 25c, Thursday .....7c each

Ideal Wrappers and House Dresses 98c

Percale Wrappers, all sizes...69c

Cook, Taylor & Co.
Merrimack Street Store.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BOYLE—The funeral of the late John J. Boyle will take place Thursday morning from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. P. Reagan, 287 Fayette street, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

McGLONE—Died, in Cambridge, Mar. 27, Michael McGlone. Funeral will be held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Reidy, 45 Banks street, Cambridge, Thursday morning, at 8.45 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated at St. Paul's church, Mt. Auburn street, Cambridge. The body will be sent to Lowell for burial, and will arrive in this city at 12 o'clock noon. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

GALLAGHER—The funeral Mrs. Margaret Gallagher will take place Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 31 Runels place. At 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. J. J. O'Connell in charge.

HASTY—The funeral of John Hasty will take place tomorrow morning at 8.30 from his late home, 4 Bay State court, off West 4th street. At 9 oclock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

TANSY—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Tansy will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 61 Chestnut street. At 10 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge. Friends invited.

WOODBURY—Died March 28th, at Dr. Flint's Sanatorium, Dracut, Oscar Woodbury, aged 32 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 349 Gorham street, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial will take place Friday at Northfield, Vt. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McALEER—The funeral of the late Michael McAleer, will take place Friday morning from his residence, 33 Chestnut street at 8.15 o'clock. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

FUNERALS

SULLIVAN—The funeral of William Sullivan took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, Dennis F. and Sarah, 123 Warwick street and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Among the many beautiful floral tributes was a pillow "Our Willie," from family; spray of pinks and sweet peas with ribbon, "Cousin," from Mr. and Mrs. Charles McQuillan; spray of pinks and smilax from Dr. Flood of Palmer, Mass.; spray of pinks and sweet peas from Mr. and Mrs. Michael Donoghue and family; basket of daffodils and ferns from Mrs. James Walsh and family. The bearers were Masters John J. Sullivan, Harry F. Kelley, Richard Donoghue and John J. Sullivan. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Harkins of St. Margaret's church read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge.

ANSARA—The funeral of Nasif Ansara was held yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from his home, rear 98 Suffolk street. There was a large attendance from the Syrian colony. Services were held in the Greek Orthodox church at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. H. Demetry officiating. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge.

LAKE—The funeral of the late John Lake took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 117 Cushing street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy. The bearers were Patrick Regan, Dennis and John Sullivan, and John McNamara. At the grave, Rev. William O'Brien read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PALLATTO—Emiro Pallatto, child of Antiono and Annie, died yesterday afternoon after a short illness, age one year and two months, at 117 Crosby street. The funeral took place from his parents' home, 117 Crosby street at 2.30 o'clock. There were many floral offerings from relatives and friends. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

MANLEY—The funeral of the late Miss Annie E. Manley took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. James Farley, Methuen street, Dracut, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Francis Mullin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Boulger, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Griffin and Mr. Boulger. Miss Carolyn White presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were James F. and Denis J. O'Connell, David J. Williams, Robert Nutter, Michael Nutter, and Frank Reed. At the grave Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

UNTRUTHFUL BOY

From Utica, N. Y., Couldn't Fool Police

Frank Barnaby, the 12-year-old boy, of Utica, N. Y., who was taken in charge by the police last week, is to be returned to his father in Utica. Barnaby, according to those who questioned him at the police station, is the prince of liars. He told the police that he belonged in Utica, N. Y., that his father was killed by falling from an eight story building, his mother remarried and he could not stand the abuse of his stepfather and came to Lowell in search of friends he knew here. The only true part of the story was that he belonged in Utica, and that he had been stopping with friends here in Lakeview avenue for several weeks. It was the family in Lakeview avenue with whom he had been stopping who notified the police that they could no longer support the boy.

Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society wrote to Utica relative to the boy and learned that the father was living and that the boy was of a roving disposition. The father, according to the communication, was tired of trying to keep the boy at home and finally gave it up as a bad job, thinking that when the boy got enough of wandering around the country that he would return of his own volition.

Money for the boy's fare to Utica was also sent and Frank will be sent back to that city tomorrow.

FOUR CANDIDATES

BOOMED FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION

WASHINGTON, March 29.—William Jennings Bryan, Gov. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio and Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, were suggested last night as the democratic standard bearers in the presidential campaign of 1912. The occasion was a dinner of appreciation given by the citizens of Washington to Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, chairman of the senate committee on District of Columbia affairs.

President Taft listened and laughed frequently at the speeches, often humorous; but in his own speech refrained from political phrases.

Senator Bailey, touching upon Senator Gallinger's work, argued that it was poor policy to make Washington a beautiful city, because "statesmen and would-be statesmen" became so infatuated with the delights of the municipality that they were "spoiled for home uses," and were loath to leave the city when the polls dictated such a fate.

"I've been here 20 years," said Senator Bailey, "and I expect to stay here 20 more, the people of Texas being willing."

The Texan continued and made several political allusions, being followed by former Senator William E. Chandler of New Hampshire, who evoked laughter when he declared that he saw in Senator Bailey's remarks a Bailey presidential boom.

Turning to President Taft, Mr. Chandler said:

"You see Mr. President, what you have before you. There's Senator Bailey or Gov. Woodrow Wilson, or Gov. Judson Harmon or Mr. Bryan."

ITALIAN CABINET

Make-up of New Cabinet Announced

ROME, March 29.—Premier Giovanni Giolitti, who takes the portfolio of minister of the interior today, announced the make-up of the new cabinet which succeeds that of Luigi Luzzatti. Nearly all the members of the former ministry are retained. These are:

Foreign affairs, Marquis A. Di San Giuliano; treasury, Francisco Tedesoco; finance, Signor Facta; war, General Spingardi; public instruction, Signor Credardo; public works, Signor Sacchi; posts and telegraphs, Signor Ciuffelli.

The new members are:

Justice, Signor Finocchiaro, who succeeds Signor Fani; marine, Admiral Cattolica, replacing Admiral Leonardi, and agriculture, Signor Nitti, who takes the place of Signor Raineri in the post first offered to Signor Bissolati, leader of the socialist parliamentary group but declined by him because while he said he was in sympathy with the proposed policy of the new government he could not bring himself to adopt the outward forms requested of the cabinet members, such as wearing a uniform on public occasions.

"By Comparison Shall Ye Know Us."

Your Articles For Spring Cleaning

ARE THEY HERE?

Bon Ami, cake.....10c
Savogran, lb.....10c
Washing Soda, 2 lbs. 5c
Liquid Disinfectant, pt. 15c
Beach Sand, qt. 5c
Ammonia, pt. 10c
Borax, lb. 7c
Gre Solvent, box.....10c
Soap Tree Bark, lb. 25c

ARE THEY HERE?

Dustless Duster.....15c
Ostrich Duster.....30c
Dry Mop.....45c
Mop Waste.....16c
Mop Sticks.....10c
Galvanized Iron Pail.....19c
Window Brush.....45c
Scrub Brush.....10c
Stair Brush.....50c

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IN CAPITAL STOCK OF PENNSYLVANIA ROAD

PHILADELPHIA, March 29.—More than 60 per cent. of the stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad company was voted at the election yesterday in favor of increasing the capital stock from $500,000,000 to $600,000,000. Eight hundred and eighty-eight stockholders voted in person and 5,028,588 shares were voted by proxy.

William H. Barnes, George Wood and C. Stuart Patterson, the directors whose terms expired yesterday, were re-elected.

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ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 29—The steamer Bonaventure arrived last night with 30,000 seals aboard, first to return of the fleet of 19 sealers which left on the annual cruise 15 days ago.

According to the report brought in by the Bonaventure, 11 other steamers are about to start for home with good catches and only two of the 19, so far as is known appear to have missed the seal herds. Advices indicate that the catch will probably exceed half a million, considerably more than was secured by the sealers last year.

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Simple but impressive funeral services were held over the remains of the late Haven C. Perham at 2 o'clock this afternoon at his home, 19 Wannalancit street attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. There were present several delegations representing Mr. Perham's many social and business affiliations. The services were conducted by Rev. A. St. John Chambre, pastor of St. Anne's church. The casket was surrounded with a wealth of floral tributes. The interment will take place tomorrow in the family lot in Tyngsboro. The funeral was in charge of Waller Coburn and the interment will be under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey. As a mark of respect for the deceased the plants of the Lowell Machine shop and the Kittson Machine company shut down this afternoon while the Union bank closed its doos during the hour of the funeral services.

ANOTHER CHARGE AGAINST JOHNSON

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Ordered into court today, Champion Jack Johnson was again ordered to serve 25 days in the county jail by Acting Judge Treadwell.

Judge Treadwell said he took this action to forestall any question of the legality of the original sentence, from which Johnson appealed to the superior court. An additional charge of automobile speeding against Johnson will be heard on April 4.

DEFEAT OF DADMAN

Recalls Convention When He Was Elected in 1895

The defeat of Girard P. Dadman by Stephen Flynn at the joint convention, last night, recalls the defeat of Michael J. Dowd by Girard P. Dadman, 16 years ago.

Mr. Dadman was first elected city clerk in 1886 and held office three years. He was defeated by Michael J. Dowd, who held office until defeated by Mr. Dadman at the memorable joint convention held Thursday night, August 1, 1895. This is the joint convention referred to by City Solicitor Duncan in a recent opinion on joint conventions. Mr. Duncan had been asked how long the common council might legally continue to duck a joint convention; and he took occasion to remark that once upon a time a joint convention was held as late as the month of August. The joint convention referred to was the one at which Girard P. Dadman defeated Michael J. Dowd for the office of city clerk, but Mr. Duncan failed to state why the convention was postponed until so late a date.

The common council was composed of four members from each of the wards, making a total of 24 members, as there were but six wards at that time.

The council failed to agree on the selection of a president until shortly before the holding of the joint convention, so that the case cited by Mr. Duncan was in no way similar to the one that he was asked to pass upon.

The men who were interested in politics at that time will readily recall the joint convention in question. It was an all night affair and there was something doing every minute.

Among the sensations of the evening was a row between a republican alderman and a republican councilman. The councilman accused the alderman of a crooked play and later the lie was passed. The record of the affair, however, does not say that the ambulance was summoned.

The ballot for city clerk at this convention was as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 36; Girard P. Dadman had 17, Michael J. Dowd 9. Mr. Dadman was declared elected and has held office ever since.

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GOV. PLAISTED

Sustained in His Two Vetoes

AUGUSTA, Me., March 29.—Gov. Plaisted today returned to the house without his approval, bills providing that persons may voluntarily commit themselves to the insane hospitals, and for the legalizing of fish and game preserves. His objection to the first was that such persons should go to a sanitorium and that the insane institutions already are overcrowded. His objection to the second was that it would lead to the establishment of a large number of extensive state preserves and take the forests away from the people. The house sustained both vetoes.

A resolution in favor of a parcels post was passed in the house without opposition.

JUDGE PEABODY

Dropped Dead This Afternoon

PORTLAND, Me., March 29.—Associate Justice Henry Peabody of the Maine supreme court dropped dead at 3.45 o'clock this afternoon in the Cumberland county courthouse here. Judge Peabody was holding a special session of court in chambers.

A GREAT RUSH

Many Liquor License Applications Filed

The rush of applicants for liquor licenses at the office of the board of police today reminded one of a bargain sale in one of the down town department stores. From the time the office opened at nine o'clock this morning until it closed at five o'clock this afternoon there was a steady flow of people into the office and inasmuch as it takes some time to fill the blanks out properly, at times the place was packed to suffocation.

If there was a rush today, however, it goes without saying that tomorrow morning the people will have to wait in line for their turn. As in years past there are many applicants who wait until the eleventh hour and tomorrow will be no exception.

This year when the commissioners grant the licenses they will grant 12 more than they did last year owing to the increase in population of this city according to the recent census.

ENJOYABLE TIME

St. Columba's Parish Held Party

A pretty whist party and entertainment was held in Mathew hall, Dutton street last evening in aid of the Rose Garden table of the coming bazaar in aid of St. Columba's parish. The arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Charles W. Holmes, matron of the table. The entertainment program included the following: Song, Mr. Harrison; recitations, Michael J. Mahoney; song, Miss Katherine Mullin; piano solos, Miss Veronica Redfker. The prizes at whist were distributed by Rev. Fr. Deegan, pastor of St. Columba's and the winners of the 1st prize were Mr. and Mrs. Brosnahan, the former receiving a stick pin and the latter a box of handkerchiefs.

Mr. Harrison, who sang is a member of the Harrison Music Publishing company of Providence, R. I., and came here to take part in the entertainment at the request of Warren P. Riordan, secretary to Mayor Meehan. His selections were delightful and pleased the audience immensely.

A REPUBLICAN

To Succeed Democrat as Registrar

Stephen Flynn, elected last night, to the office of city clerk, was educated in the schools of this city and is a bright, capable young man of strictly temperate habits. He is a brother of Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church in Moore street. The election of Mr. Flynn as city clerk will necessitate a change in the board of registrars of voters in order to maintain bipartisan representation on that board. The city clerk is also a member, ex-officio, of the board of registrars, and the advent of a democratic city clerk disturbs the political equilibrium of the board and a democratic member will have to step down and give his seat on the teeter to a republican.

John P. Farley is the man who will have to make way for a republican, as he is the democratic member whose term is earliest to expire. Hugh C. McOsker is the other democrat on the board and his term does not expire until 1913, while Mr. Farley's term expires in 1912.

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State Library, Containing Rare and Valuable Books, Destroyed—The Grand $1,000,000 Staircase Badly Damaged—Valuable Documents That Never Can be Replaced Were Destroyed

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—Fire-swept, smoke-stained, and water-drenched, New York state's magnificent $27,000,000 capitol stands this morning a partial wreck from a fire that started in the assembly library, burned away the entire west wing and did damage estimated at between $5,000,000 and $7,000,000 before the flames were declared under control by First Assistant Chief Shattuck at 7 o'clock after raging more than four hours. It is believed that the fire was started by a fused electric pushbutton becoming electrified.

The fire was discovered by a night watchman and the alarm was sounded at 2.46 o'clock. Before the firemen reached the massive structure atop Capitol hill, priceless documents, books and records stored in the assembly library had been destroyed and other departments were being threatened. The imitation oak ceiling of the assembly chamber composed of papier-mache was partly destroyed, as was also the famous million dollar staircase in the west wing. On the third floor, where the flames gained their start, the departments wholly or partly destroyed by the fire or seriously damaged by water were:

The state library, containing 400,000 volumes, among them the most valuable genealogical works in the United States, together with relics and priceless documents, some of them dating back to 1776 and irreplacable.

The assembly and senate libraries, stored with thousands of law and code books, contained also a number of documents and manuscripts that can never be replaced.

The finance committee room in which were stored drafts of all the appropriation and other bills of the present session.

The chamber of the president pro tem of the senate.

The lieutenant governor's room, badly damaged but not wrecked.

The senate and assembly chambers, both flushed with water that has ruined their rich furnishings and the scandal-struck ceiling of the latter hanging in wasted, straggling shreds of half dissolved paper. This ceiling, with its handsome adornment is said to have

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LAID AT REST

Funeral of Harry L. Timmons Today

With impressive services held at St. Patrick's church this morning the remains of Harry L. Timmons, a prominent young resident, were consigned to their final resting place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The obsequies were attended by a large gathering of the relatives and friends of the deceased who was widely known and quite popular. On all sides were apparent the sorrow for the deceased and sympathy for the bereaved family. This was notable in the large cortege that left the house, 105 Wilder street, for the church at 9.30 o'clock. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Timothy Callahan assisted by Rev. John McHugh and Rev. Joseph Curtin as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy, Mr. Johnson presiding at the organ. The ushers at the house and church were Dr. P. J. Meehan, Dr. Edwin A. Kent, Arthur J. Cummiskey and Rep. Denis J. Murphy Esq. The bearers were Dr. J. J. Walsh, John J. Hanlon, William Gilchrist, James T. O'Hearn Esq., John J. Sullivan and James S. O'Sullivan. Present at the funeral were many prominent citizens including Mayor John F. Meehan; Representatives Barlow and Mareland of the 17th Middlesex district, formerly represented by the deceased and the following delegations, Henry J. Heaps, G. K., James J. Brown, John L. Fahey, Philip J. Breen, Roger J. Lang, Michael F. O'Brien, Richard S. Donoghue and William F. Martin representing the K. of C.; James E. Gorman and Charles H. O'Donnell from Industry Council, R. A., and W. W. Murphy, Fred H. Rourke, John T. Sparks and P. W. Farrell representing the Elks.

There were many beautiful floral tributes including: Pillow, inscribed "Husband," from wife; standing wreath on base inscribed "Our Harry," Timmons family; pillow inscribed "At Rest," Thomas Courtney and family; basket of roses and lilies, Joseph Courtney; large wreath, Miss Rose Courtney; spray, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell; cross on base, Dr. E. A. Kent and W. H. Gilchrist; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sullivan; cross and crown on base, James S. O'Sullivan; standing cross, Boyle family; wreath, Arthur J. Cummiskey; wreath, John J. Barry; spray, John J. Shea; spray, Joseph Griffiths of Lawrence; spray of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hatch; spray, Miss Sadie Lanen; spray, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cushing; wreath, Mr. Dakin and Rene Dizlel; basket, Miss Clara Emerson; violets, Miss Lucy Molineux; lilies, Mrs. Bishop; large mound, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McDougal; wreath, Hon. John T. Sparks; wreath, employes of F. J. Timmons; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laflamme; wreath, Miss McCluskey, Miss Rogers, Miss Donahue, Miss Moody and Miss Joyce; spray, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Mullen; spray, the Misses Sadie and Jennie McCort; spray, Mr. P. A. McKenzie; wreath, from a loving friend; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McMantmou; spray, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brooks; spray, Dr. P. J. Meehan; wreath, the Whist club; mound, from the Lowell Pharmaceutical association; large anchor on base, Rueter & Co.; large wreath on base, Lowell delegation to the legislature 1904 and 1905; large pillow, Lowell lodge of Elks; large pillow inscribed "I. C. R. A.," No. 1722 Royal Arcanum. At the grave Rev. Timothy Callahan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

McCORMICK—All that was mortal of the late James McCormick was tenderly consigned to its final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral procession left the house of mourning, 48 Pond street at 8.30 o'clock and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where, at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Owen McQuade, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Charles P. Smith, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker who presided at the organ, and Mr. Smith. The funeral was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including many from Boston and Peabody. Present was a delegation from the local Aerie of Eagles consisting of Messrs. John Hogan, Bernard Maguire, Thomas Garrity, Arthur Purcell and Alfred Willard, also a delegation from Court Middlesex, F. of A. consisting of Messrs. John J. Magee, Jas. F. Lawn, Michael H. McNiff and Thomas F. Quinn. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick F. Welch, Timothy F. Donohoe, Martin J. Heeren, John J. Garrahan, James Keefe and Patrick Curtin. The funeral arrangement were in charge of Mr. Edward F. Gormley, under the direction of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave were the followings: Large pillow of roses, pinks and lilies with the inscription "Salem Aerie 481, F. O. E." from the Salem Aerie of Eagles; large standing cross on base, sympathy of Messrs. T. F. and D. J. Donohoe; large spray of pinks with ribbon inscribed "Chum," from Mr. and Mrs. Martin Heeren; large standing cross on base, sympathy of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shanley and family; large standing cross on base with the inscription "Shopmate," from the employes of the National Calfskin Co., of Peabody, Mass.; large spray of roses and pinks, sympathy of Mr. Peter H. Donohoe; large spray of lilies and ivy leaves, from Mr. P. F. Welch; spray of lilies, sympathy of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morse; spray of lilies, sympathy of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Gormley, also several wreaths and sprays from other friends. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Owen McQuade read the committal prayers.

COMMONWEALTH

NARROWLY MISSED COLLISION IN EAST RIVER

NEW YORK, March 29.—The Fall River liner Commonwealth narrowly missed a collision in the East River today when her wheel rope parted and the big ship became unmanageable. The Commonwealth, which had been overhauled at Fall River, was coming to a New York drydock without passengers or freight to have her hull painted. When the steering wheel rope parted the vessel was in a dangerous part of the East river and the swift tide carried her within a few feet of an Astoria ferryboat. The Fall River liner dropped anchor just in time to save herself. The rope was repaired and the Commonwealth proceeded to the drydock and will enter the regular service tomorrow.

My Lungs
"I have coughed and coughed until my lungs are sore and weak." Go at once to your doctor. Do not delay another hour. Ask him about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Take it or not, as he says.
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CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

NEWARK, N. J., March 29.—S. Howell Jones, a United States commissioner and prominent socially in New Jersey, was arrested here today charged by J. Ferg, president of the Ferg Brewing Co., with embezzling $7869. The complaint alleges that Mrs. Catherine Powers of New York took a mortgage of $65,000 on the brewery in last June and gave the money to Commissioner Jones, as her counsel, for payment to Mr. Ferg who charges that, although he has repeatedly tried, he has never been able to obtain the full amount.

ONE PRISONER RECAPTURED

BRENTWOOD, N. H., March 29.—Only one of the twelve prisoners who escaped from the Rockingham county house of correction on Monday night has been recaptured, although the authorities have conducted a systematic search for the fugitives. Last night one of the escaping prisoners was arrested at Portsmouth, and he was returned to the jail here today.

It is believed that the men may have had the assistance of one of the "trusties." They cut a hole through the ceiling and floor above where the cells were located, and escaped through this hole.

CHINA'S REPLY SATISFACTORY

PEKING, March 29.—The Russian government has notified China that it is satisfied with the reply of China to her ultimatum.

SENT TO PRISON

Man Convicted of Taking Bribes

CINCINNATI, March 29.—Jacob Baschang, former liquor tax collector in the county auditor's office, who was found guilty on March 17 of having solicited and accepted bribes from a brewery to refund taxes on saloons, was sentenced by Judge Gorman today to two years' imprisonment and fined the costs of the case. A stay of execution of the sentence was granted, pending an appeal to the circuit court on grounds of error. His bond was renewed.

CAPT. PEDERSEN

Instantly Killed on Board Steamer

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., March 29.—Hurled by a giant wave with terrific force down a companionway, Captain Christen Pedersen, master of the Danish steamer Dronning Olga, was instantly killed. The steamer arrived today, showing evidence of a hard battle at sea.

Sailing from Gothenburg in February and Leith, March 6, for this port and New Orleans, the Dronning Olga ran into rough weather on the Grand Banks of Newfoundland. On March 24 a heavy sea sweet Capt. Pedersen off his feet and threw him headlong down the cabin companionway. When he was picked up he was dead, his skull having been crushed.

SUPT. HANNAFORD

Re-Elected Head of Town Farm

The newly elected board of selectmen of Chelmsford held their first meeting last evening and among other items of business reelected Mr. Waldo H. Hannaford as superintendent of the town farm. Mr. Hannaford has held the office for five years and has ever given satisfaction, having conducted the affairs of the institution in an economical manner. According to the annual report the net expense for the support of the poor at the almshouse which includes nine inmates at the present time, was $1314.01. The receipts from the town farm were $1578.31. The principal item among the receipts is milk which amounted to $979.82. One of the nine inmates has been at the town farm since 1843.

HANGED HIMSELF

Suicide at the Concord Reformatory

BOSTON, March 29.—The suicide by hanging in the state reformatory at Concord on Monday of Joseph Hoffer, 16 years old, of Stoneham, who was serving a term for burglary, was announced by Prison Commissioner Pettigrove today. The officials at the reformatory state that Hoffer was about to be punished for disorderly conduct when his body was discovered hanging in his cell.

MORE MONEY NEEDED

For Destruction of Gypsy and Browntail Moths

Sum of $1000 Appropriated Last Night Will Keep 68 Men Going for Two Weeks — Committee on Appropriations Will Hear State Inspector L. Howard Murphy

The committee on appropriations will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock and will hear State Inspector L. Howard Murphy, who will tell of gypsy and brown-tail moth extermination.

The park department has asked for more money for moth work and the members of the appropriations committee want to hear from the state inspector as to the efficacy of the work thus far and to hear what he has to say relative to the appropriation of more money to carry it along in this city.

The 68 men employed by the park department as moth destroyers were let go last Saturday night because the appropriation of $6000 given the department for moth work was exhausted. The department has asked for $6800 more and $1000 of that amount was allowed last night by both branches of the city council upon recommendation of the committee on appropriations. The advisability of appropriating the balance of the extra appropriation asked for, $5800, rests with the committee.

Supt. Whittet of the park department has charge of the moth work of this city and he said today that the moth gang would resume operations tomorrow morning and that the $1000 voted last night would last about two weeks. The Belvidere section, with the exception of some vacant lots in the Oaklands, has been gone over by the moth men and the vacant lots in question will be sprayed. The expense of spraying is not nearly as great as that of nest destruction and the work is comparatively simple. The sprayers can attend to a small forest while the tree men are doing half a dozen trees.

The moth men will tackle the Gorham and back Central street section between Lawrence and Thorndike streets, going in the direction of East Chelmsford, tomorrow morning, and upper and lower Centralville have yet to be attended to. Mr. Whittet said today that in some places in Centralville the moths are thicker than hops on a vine.

Park Commissioner's Report

The annual report of the park commission for 1910 is fresh from the printer and copies of the report, a summary of which has already appeared in these columns, can be obtained at the office of the superintendent of parks at city hall. Under the sub head "remarks" in Mr. Whittet's report the following is noted:

Few jewels are there but may be enhanced by an appropriate setting, and so with buildings that spring up on all sides. An excessive mercenary spirit is doubtless accountable for the deprivation of suitable surroundings to our domestic as well as more public architecture. There are few people who are entirely lacking in the appreciation of nature's adornment to know life; and it seems strange that we, the descendants from a race so domestic in its tastes, should be content to live in uninteresting environments with little to make the exterior of our homes attractive, while nature stands so ready to assist.

What is true in a domestic way is more so in a public, where the appropriation for expenditures usually makes it possible to accomplish a result complete in its harmony of nature and art; and what is thus obtained would have by far the greatest influence upon the thought and life of the greater number of citizens.

In Lowell scarcely an example exists among our public structures where the unfortunate blunder has not been made of ignoring and forgetting the surroundings and suitable position for foreground and background. Our municipal building and public library, buildings involving an expenditure of $503,355.35, cover an entire square. Were each placed in the center of a square or with a public plaza in front of them, each would appear well, but as they now stand neither their mass nor detail can be described, and little beside glimpses can be obtained of a worthy municipal monument.

These stupendous buildings, the city's most notable structures, entailing such great cost, and which might be both a source of education and pride become in their exterior effect merely a vast pile and a constant reminder of a great mistake.

Churches, which in their usual broken and picturesque outline should give a sparkle to the monotony of city streets were they placed in such a way as to admit of foliage and foreground, are nearly all crowded upon parcels of ground hardly large enough to contain them.

As public squares are acquired and beautified, whether as encircling public structures or as open parks, their suitable adornment with fountains and statuary will suggest itself as appreciation of art increases and occasion arises.

The introduction of foliage so far as possible to cover up and blend with harsh lines, formed in the construction of cities, is of the highest importance. In our own city that function of the park commission which would perhaps be most appreciated and the most valuable in its far-reaching results, would be that of general tree planting upon the streets of the city, which is provided for by the public statutes. I would suggest that trees be planted on the various streets and avenues, upon the request of property owners, assessing the cost of same against abutting property, protecting, watering and guaranteeing them for five years, the cost of each tree to the citizen being five dollars. In this way great good would be accomplished, not only in the acquirement of the trees, but in the uniform and orderly manner of their planting. I believe that it would be of great value to the city, and that the owners of property would hail it with pleasure and as a great relief from personal responsibility and unnecessary expense, because so few people know how to select trees, what kind of trees to put out, what size trees would be best, what trees would thrive, etc. It seems to me that the property owners would be glad to have the park commissioners take charge of this matter.

No city should be more interested than ours in public schools, churches, public libraries, in public parks and parkways, and all those things which make stronger men and women, build character, and educate them for a better life. There have been but comparatively few in this community who have given their time and talents to outdoor art improvement for the public good, a work that is of great value to the present generation, and of inestimable value to the generations which will succeed us. This commission can do much to assist and instruct people in the development of outdoor art, and its work will elevate and bring enjoyment and sanitary improvement to our city. I know and feel that there is a mission for us, and that all the good people of the city should unite to foster and perpetuate this idea.

"CY" YOUNG

OBSERVED HIS 44TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY TODAY

KANSAS CITY, Kas., March 29.—"Cy" Young, who is here with the second division of the Cleveland American league baseball squad is 44 years old today. He was the recipient of numerous telegrams of congratulation from baseball players and followers of the game. "Cy" was born in Gilmour, Ohio. This is his 22nd year in major league baseball. He is said to be in better physical condition now than he was two years ago.

To date Young has won 502 and lost 396 games he has pitched in the major league.

GUESTS ESCAPED

Fire in Hotel at Beaulieu, France

BEAULIEU, France, March 29.—The fire that broke out in the Hotel Bristol last night burned downward from the top floor and was extinguished on the third floor, leaving the first and second stories intact. The loss, however, is estimated at several million francs. A large number of guests were frightened but escaped unharmed, the only person injured being a servant.

BURTON DENTAL PARLORS

The Burton Dental Parlors located at 40 Central street have come into great popularity in a short time by the expertness of the dental work. They have all the latest appliances for carrying on the dental business, and are sure to please everyone who desires to have dental work done. Their prices are very reasonable considering the high quality of the material, skill and workmanship. Read their ad. in this issue.

FRANK SHANNON

WELL KNOWN BALL PLAYER IN TOWN

Frank Shannon, former captain of the Lowell baseball team, is in town today renewing old acquaintances and incidentally doing business as a representative of the Baseball Magazine and New England League score card. Frank expects to catch on this season with some team for although he has a pretty fine berth at present he gets the fever every spring and still has the goods.

IROQUOIS ASSOCIATION'S GIFT

CHICAGO, March 29.—The Iroquois Memorial Association of Chicago, formed soon after the Iroquois theatre fire here in 1903 in which 600 lives were lost, has forwarded a check of $100 to Mayor Gaynor of New York, the money to be applied to the relief fund there for the benefit of the survivors of the victims of the recent fire in which 142 lives were lost.

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THE SALE IS FRIDAY

Palmer Street — Basement

PRESIDENT TAFT

Urged the Election of Senator Lorimer, Says Hines

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 29.—That President Taft and Senators Aldrich and Penrose urged the election of William Lorimer, as senator from Illinois in order to obtain a vote for the Payne tariff bill was the burden of testimony given yesterday by Edward Hines, a Chicago lumber dealer, before the senate investigation committee that yesterday began an inquiry into alleged bribery in the Illinois legislature at the time Mr. Lorimer was elected senator. Mr. Hines was the first witness. He testified that President Taft and Senator Aldrich were uneasy about the senatorial deadlock at Springfield and that they had urged him to do his utmost in bringing about Senator Lorimer's election. President Taft, he declared was anxious that Illinois should elect a senator without delay in view of the then pending tariff bill. Mr. Hines said:

"I think along in April, 1909, Senator Penrose asked me whether a United States senator would be elected from Illinois. I said I had heard some remarks of a possible deadlock which would occur and no senator would be elected congressman. Lorimer did not know anything more about the situation than any other man in Washington.

"This was about the middle of April. I saw the congressman upon his return from Springfield and he told me conditions were about the same. Senator Aldrich again asked me about the matter and I told him what Congressman Lorimer had stated. I asked Mr. Lorimer later whether he could not become a candidate. He said no.

"Then I suggested Congressman Boutell from Chicago as a possible candidate and he said Boutell had many traits that might make him a desirable candidate.

"Senator Aldrich sent for me shortly after and stated that the administration at the time was very anxious for a senator to be elected from Illinois at the earliest date possible and wanted to know if some influence could not be brought upon Mr. Lorimer to become a candidate, as he understood he could be elected. I told him I would see the congressman. Lorimer stated that he would not become a candidate.

"I think this conversation was early in May. Then Senator Aldrich came to me and told me that the president was very desirous of Lorimer's becoming a candidate and doing all he could to be elected at the earliest date possible; that the tariff bill, the so-called Payne tariff bill, was then up in the senate and showed a very strong probability of being unable to pass if there was not a senator from Illinois. He asked me if I could not immediately get in communication with Congressman Lorimer over the long distance telephone and impress upon his mind that the president was anxious for him to become a candidate and to do all he could to be elected. I went to the telephone between 12 and 1 o'clock in the morning and called Congressman Lorimer, at Springfield.

"When just a very short time prior to Mr. Lorimer's election Senator Aldrich came to me again and stated the president was very nervous about the situation in Illinois; that he was afraid that the legislature would adjourn without electing a United States senator; that they were very anxious to have a senator elected from Illinois, and wanted me to see Congressman Lorimer and ascertain if he could not be elected senator before the legislature adjourned.

"I arrived in Chicago on the morning of the day he was elected. I telephoned him I was going on to Springfield to see him and carry the message of the president to impress upon those in Springfield that the administration wanted Mr. Lorimer to be elected United States senator at the earliest moment possible. He told me that I possibly could save time and accomplish the same purpose if I would call up Gov. Deneen on the telephone and acquaint him with the message I had from the president. I called up Gov. Deneen and explained my message from Washington."

Mr. Hines declared that the only member of the Illinois legislature with whom he discussed Mr. Lorimer's candidacy was Senator Thomas B. Stewart of Aurora. The witness said that Senator Stewart was pledged to Albert J. Hopkins. The witness denied that he had sent an agent of any character to members of the legislature for the purpose of aiding Mr. Lorimer's candidacy.

He declared that the question of financial aid for Mr. Lorimer was never brought up, either in Washington, Chicago or elsewhere, that he knew of.

John I. Hughes, stockholder and director of the LaSalle Street National bank, which is known as Senator Lorimer's bank in Chicago, the only other witness yesterday, admitted that he had seen every member of the legislature in the interest of Mr. Lorimer before the election occurred.

When questioned pointedly, Hughes denied the suggestion that he had made offers of money or political patronage in exchange for votes for Mr. Lorimer. During his examination, Mr. Hughes persisted in praising Senator Lorimer who, he declared, was "the greatest man since the time of Christ."

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31	Colored Petticoats	1.97	.97
356	Tea Aprons	.50	.25
54	Tea Aprons	.97	.50
6	Night Robes	3.97	2.97
2	Night Robes	2.50	1.97
99	Night Robes	1.50	.97
83	Night Robes	.69	.50
61	Night Robes	.97	.69
114	Chemise	.97	.69
25	Combinations	.69	.50
6	Drawers	1.97	1.50
82	Drawers	.35	.25
104	Corset Covers	.50	.25
92	Black Corset Covers	.50	.25
131	Tight Fitting Covers	.50	.25
86	Brassieres	.97	.50
6	Sheathbockers	2.97	1.97
2	Petticoats	6.50	5.00
8	Petticoats	2.50	1.97
13	Petticoats	.75	.50
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COL. ROOSEVELT

CONCLUDES HIS SERIES OF EARL LECTURES

BERKELEY, Calif., March 29.—Theodore Roosevelt concluded his series of Earl lectures yesterday with a condemnation of those newspapers and magazines, "the Ananias muckrakers" he termed them, "that misrepresent and discredit honest public servants."

"The public man" said Col. Roosevelt, "occupies an important and responsible position; but in a country like ours, where public opinion prevails paramountly the public man does not occupy nearly so important a position as be that moulds public opinion. The cardinal sin of the public man is theft; the cardinal sin of the moulder of public opinion is mendacity.

"There's a type of magazine," the colonel went on, "a type that is hardly fair to call 'muck-raking,' because certain muck-raking magazines have performed a splendid public service; a type which may be designated as 'Ananias muck-rakers' than which no influence can pay a more contemptible part."

EQUAL SUFFRAGE

LEAGUE HELD MEETING AT HOME OF MRS. STOTT

A meeting of the Lowell Equal Suffrage league was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Stott in Nesmith street. It was the first in a series of four parlor meetings and proved a real success. There was a large attendance and the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Charles D. Palmer, president of the Equal Suffrage league.

Mrs. Aspinwall of Brookline was the entertainer and she delighted her audience. She read several of her original sketches, all of which showed keen insight into character, and a lively sense of humor.

The members of the committee having charge of the meetings are: Mrs. Charles A. Stott, Mrs. M. E. Jefferson, Mrs. Walter L. Parker, Mrs. Frank K. Stearns, Mrs. M. E. Hall, Miss Mary S. Robinson.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon, April 4th, at the home of Mrs. Walter L. Parker, and the speaker will be Mrs. Stanley McCormick of Boston, on "Woman in the Home."

THE HOLY NAME

OF ST. PATRICK'S TO OBSERVE 23D ANNIVERSARY

John Sullivan presided over a large meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church, which was held last night in the school hall in Suffolk street. It was voted to send John W. McEvoy, Esq., a letter of appreciation for his talk given before the members on the evening of March 17.

Plans were talked over for the proposed observance of the 23d anniversary of the society on May 23. The committee chosen to make plans for the event consists of Pres. Sullivan, James O'Sullivan, Rev. Joseph Curtin, Charles Griffin, John Neeson, Joseph McEvoy and others. The speakers for the occasion will be announced later. During the meeting there were remarks by Rev. Fr. Curtin, Mr. O'Sullivan, James McDermott and Charles Griffin.

KING'S DAUGHTERS

ANNUAL MEETING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual meeting of the King's Daughters of the First Baptist church was held last night. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted, including the election of officers for the ensuing year. During the evening a beautiful bouquet was presented to the retiring leader, Mrs. Arthur French.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Leader, Miss Ida M. Goucher; first vice-leader, Mrs. S. W. Hands; second vice-leader, Miss Nellie Floyd; secretary, Mrs. G. F. Wagner; treasurer, Miss Grace C. Lincoln.

THE N. Y. TIMES

TO LOCATE PLANT IN NEW QUARTERS

NEW YORK, March 29.—With the exception of its counting house, the New York Times is to remove to a new 12-story structure to be known as the Times building annex. Announcement was made last night of the purchase by the Times of a lot 143 by 100 feet on West 43d street for $300,000, a record price for the section, and its plan to erect thereon the new building. The new structure is needed, the announcement states for the accommodation of mechanical equipment and the editorial departments of the Times, particularly of the Sunday Times.

FOR CONTEMPT

THIRTEEN ARRESTS WERE MADE IN PARIS

PARIS, March 29.—During the course of the hearing yesterday in an appeal from the judgment against the Royalist Lacour, who was sentenced last December to three years' imprisonment for an assault upon former Premier Briand, one of the "Camelots du Roi," M. Pujo, in testifying called M. Briand an adventurer. Other members of this organization created violent disturbances and 13 of them were arrested for contempt of court.

BILLERICA

The selectmen of the town of Billerica have ordered that all dogs belonging within the confines of North Billerica be muzzled or placed under restraint for the next 30 days. This action was taken after it was found that the dog recently killed in the village was suffering from the rabies. It is alleged that the dog was owned by a Lowell man. It became mad and running amuck made its way to North Billerica.

WAGES INCREASED

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., March 29.—General Manager J. F. McGuire of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company late yesterday announced that an increase of wages had been granted trainmen along the company's system, following a conference with representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. The increases average about 15 cents a day.

TO BUY LAND

To be Held as National Forests

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The department of agriculture announces, through a circular which is just coming from the press, that it is ready to begin operations looking to the purchase of land by the national forest reservation commission created under the Weeks law.

This law was passed with special reference to the creation of national forests in the Appalachian and White Mountains. Under it the secretary of agriculture is to examine, locate and recommend to the commission for purchase such lands as in his judgment may be necessary for regulating the flow of navigable streams. The circular which is now being printed is intended to give information to the public as to where and what kinds of land are wanted. Owners of land the purchase of which will be considered by the government, are expected on the basis of this information to make known to the forest service, which will conduct the work for the department of agriculture, their desire to sell. Copies of the circulars may be obtained by applying to the forest service.

The law is not restricted to particular regions, except that lands may be bought only in the states whose legislatures have consented to the acquisition of land by the United States for the purpose of preserving the navigability of streams. The states which have already taken the necessary action are Maine, New Hampshire, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, South Carolina and Georgia.

The first lands to be examined for purchase will be in the Appalachian and White Mountains, which because of their altitude, steepness, and lack of protection are in a class by themselves. The area which is believed to need protection is much larger than the government can purchase. Much difference exists, however, between different parts of the region. Careful examinations which have been going on for the last ten years have proved that the conditions which affect streamflow to an extreme extent are to be found in relatively limited areas, which are scattered more or less widely. By careful selection it is believed that much can be done for the permanent improvement of the watersheds with the purchase of a relatively small part of the land.

A blank form for the offer of land accompanies the circular. Additional copies of this blank form may be had by writing the forest service at Washington. The kinds of land which will be considered for purchase, if they lie within the designated areas, are set forth by the circular as follows:

Timbered lands may be bought either with the timber standing on them or with reservation by the owner of the right to cut the timber under certain rules to provide for perpetuation of the forest. These rules will form a part of the agreement for the purchase of the land. Since, however, the government can not pay high prices, it is not regarded as probable that much land bearing a heavy stand of merchantable timber can be bought. Culled and cut-over lands may be bought, as well as land covered with brush which is useful for watershed protection, burned land, and abandoned farm land, whether cleared or partially or wholly covered by young timber growth. Good agricultural lands will not be considered. Owners may reserve the right to remove valuable mineral deposits which are known to exist.

Proposals will be received for small as well as for large tracts, although small tracts can be examined only where the purchase of a considerable total of land in the same neighborhood is under consideration. With regard to the price which can be paid, Secretary Wilson indicates that the policy of the commission will be to make the money available to go as far as possible. "For the most part," he says, "we shall have to buy cut-over lands or lands without much merchantable timber. I want to make it plain at the start that I shall recommend this class of land only when it is offered very cheap. Proffers of land at exorbitant prices will not be considered. I am frank to say that I hope to see a great deal of public spirit manifested by land owners. I expect some lands to be offered at merely nominal prices in order to aid the government in getting well started upon this wise and necessary policy.

"The lands acquired by the government will be held as national forests. They will be protected from fire and the growth of the timber will be improved as much as possible. The lands will not be game preserves, but will continue to be open to the public for hunting and fishing in accordance with the laws of the state in which they are situated. All their resources will be available for the public under reasonable conditions. Another point which I wish to emphasize is that we are not going to take from people their homes in order to put the lands into national forests."

The areas within which offers of land are desired are set forth in detail in the circular of Forest Service. The approximate location of these areas is as follows, although Secretary Wilson warns those wishing to offer land that they should first secure the circular in order to see whether their holdings fall within the more detailed areas therein indicated:

In New Hampshire, lands in the White mountain region.

In Maine, lands in a portion of Batchelder's Grant in Oxford county.

In Maryland, a portion of the western part of Garrett county.

In Virginia, parts of Shenandoah, Rockingham, southwestern Warren, western Page, northern Bedford, eastern Botetourt, southern Rockbridge, southern Washington, Smyth, and Wythe counties, and western Grayson county.

In West Virginia, parts of Pendleton, Hardy, Randolph, and Pocahontas counties.

In Tennessee, parts of northeastern Johnson county, Cocke, Sevier, Blount, and Monroe counties.

In North Carolina, parts of Wilkes, Caldwell, Wautauga, Buncombe, Yancey, McDowell, southwestern Mitchell, Haywood, Swain, Jackson, Henderson, Transylvania, Macon, Clay, Cherokee, and Graham counties.

In South Carolina, a part of Oconee county.

In Georgia, parts of Rabun, Habersham, and White counties.

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Fire in a Garage at Allston

BOSTON, March 29.—The repair department on the top floor of Alvan T. Fuller's garage at Commonwealth and Brighton avenues in Allston was threatened by fire that broke out in the enameling room about 7.30 last evening.

The building is four stories high and constructed almost wholly of concrete. The enameling room is in the front on the Malvern street side.

It is supposed the fire started in an enameling oven. Ernest W. Ward, Charles Pistarino and Charles Coyle were at work in the room. The flames spread rapidly and the heat started the automatic sprinklers. Soon the room was deluged with water. A workman ran to the corner of Brighton avenue and Chester street and sounded an alarm from box 514.

The fire was confined to the room in which it started. Automobile lamps and small fittings are taken to this room to be enameled and much of this stock was damaged. This, with the water damage, will bring the loss up to about $2000.

The basement floor was commodious enough to permit the entrance of the fire apparatus. Chemical 6 was run into the basement alongside the freight elevators and lines were carried to the fourth floor on the elevator. Chief Madison also had lines put up from the Malvern street side.

The floors of the building are of concrete, and although there are several hundred automobiles stored in the place, none was damaged. The firemen scooped the water down the elevator wells.

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COMMUNICATION

Mr. Editor: My attention has been called to your editorial of March 24th in which you ask, "If you favor the referendum on important questions, why oppose it on the city charter. With your permission, I will tell you, and through your valuable paper, the people of Lowell, why the members of our cigar-makers' union oppose it. We believe all important questions should be referred to the people. It is not the referendum we oppose, it is the manner in which we will be called on to meet it. We say it would be impossible to enforce the recall as the required 20 per cent is too great, and as a proof of our contention, let me say that the committee with a printed press behind it was unable to get 20 per cent of the voters of Lowell. When they could not get 20 per cent of the vote in four months, it seems to me a thorough justification of our position. When you realize that we would be forced to get the names of qualified voters, you will see the impossibility of the task. I imagine I hear you ask what per cent would be fair. In answer to that question, I would say eight per cent would be fair.

T. F. Garvey,
Fin. Sec. Union 235.

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NIGHT EDITION

DANGER OF WAR

French Senator Says U. S. and Japan May Clash

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 29.—That there is danger of war between the United States and Japan is stated by Baron D'Estournelles DeConstant, member of the French senate and representative of France at The Hague peace conference, in an address before the City club last night.

After referring to conditions in California, he said: "But there is a storm hanging over your heads, a battle that threatens destruction of all this loveliness, and it is of this I have come to warn you. Japan does not want war any more than you do but may be forced into it by a force of circumstances that seems to be involving you both.

"Let me tell you that Japan does not want war with you or any other country, and never will there be a war between this country and Japan unless it is stirred up by ignorance in both nations."

WEAVER SERIOUSLY INJURED

NEW BEDFORD, March 29.—Henry Arsenault, a weaver in the Dartmouth mill, was seriously injured as the result of his arm being torn completely off at the elbow when he was whirled around a loom pulley today. Arsenault was adjusting the belt on the pulley when the accident happened and his arm was caught and he was whirled around the pulley until his arm was torn from his body and he dropped to the floor in an unconscious state.

$2500 VERDICT

Returned in Favor of Prof. Peck

BOSTON, March 29.—Late yesterday afternoon in the U. S. circuit court the jury in the $100,000 libel suit brought by Harry Thurston Peck, former professor of Latin in Columbia university, against the Boston Post, because of a review of a book of his in its issue of July 21, 1910, returned a verdict of $2500 for the plaintiff. The jury was out five hours and 10 minutes.

Judge Dodge addressed the jury for 55 minutes. He defined the law of libel as affecting newspapers. He said Prof. Peck's book, like that of any author, was subject to a newspaper review and unless it had been dealt with unfairly or the text had been misquoted or the writer of the review was shown to have malice toward the plaintiff, a broad and liberal interpretation would have to be permitted in such work.

The book as a whole, the judge said, would have to be taken in its review, and not any particular portions of it, each by itself. At the same time, if the author in his book had devoted a large portion of it, as claimed by the defence, to writing passages about women the plaintiff had no right to complain if that fact was pointed out by the reviewer.

If the jury found that the plaintiff had endured mental suffering, a diminution of his income, because of his previous contributions to literature, or possible losses on the same basis in the future, whether from the loss of contracts into which he had entered or otherwise, they might give compensatory damages, but they should not give vindictive or punitive damages in the case.

The only thing for which the plaintiff could recover was the actual damage done from which he might have suffered because of the publication of this particular article in the newspaper, the judge said.

CHAS. D. SHELDON

Has Not Engaged Counsel Yet

PITTSBURG, March 29.—Charles D. Sheldon, alias Charles D. Washburn, confined here in the county jail, charged with being a fugitive from justice, has not retained counsel to fight the extradition proceedings, which, if successful, will return him to Montreal, where he is wanted for alleged irregularities amounting into the millions. Officers from Montreal are expected here tonight. No word has been received by the police from Brockton, Mass., concerning any claim the authorities there may have on Sheldon.

UNION MEETING

OF DENTAL SOCIETIES TO BE HELD TOMORROW

The fifth annual union meeting of the Lawrence, Haverhill and Lowell Dental societies will be held in the New American House tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock.

At 4.30 in High School hall a public meeting of the school teachers will be held, to which the parents of school children and all others interested in dental hygiene are most cordially invited. Geo. A. Bates, A. M., D. M. D., Professor of Histology at Tuft's College Dental school will be the speaker and his subject will be, "The Care of Children's Teeth in the Interest of Public Health."

At 6.30 the Dental society's annual banquet will be served, after which Timothy Leary, A. M., M. D., Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology at Tufts College Dental school, will read a paper on Pyorrhea Alveolaris. The closing hour of the meeting will be devoted to a general discussion of this subject and Prof. Bates' of the afternoon.

STATE SENATE

Sustained Veto of Lowell Bill

BOSTON, March 29.—The state senate yesterday, by vote of 32 to 6, sustained the governor's veto of the resolve appropriating $3500 to assist the city of Lowell in commemorating the patriotic services of citizens who went to the front at the opening of the Civil war. Even Senator Hibbard of Lowell, who presented the petition for the city of Lowell, stood by the governor, as did Senator Denny of Worcester, chairman of the committee on military affairs.

Question being on passing the bill over the veto the division was as follows:

Yes—Bennett, Halley, Hatton, Murray, Powers—5.

No—Adams, Blanchard, Brown, Chace, Curley, Denny, Doyle, Evans, Gates, Grainger, Greenwood, Hibbard, Hear, Hunt, Keith, Lomasney, Mack, Malley, Mellen, Mulligan, Nash, Nason, Newhall, Pearson, Quigley, Ross, Schoonmaker, Stearns, Timilty, Tinkham, Tolman, White—32.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	64	63¾	63⅞
Am Car & Fn	54½	54	54
Am Cot Oil	59¾	59¾	59¾
Am Locomo	38¾	38¾	38¾
Am Smelt & R	76½	75½	75½
Am Smelt & R pf	105¼	105¼	105¼
Am Sugar Rfn	119	119	119
Anaconda	38½	38½	38½
Atchison	110⅝	109⅝	110
Atch pf	102½	102¼	102½
Balt & Ohio	104¼	104⅛	104¼
Br Rap Tran	78¼	78⅛	78⅜
Canadian Pa	226¼	224	226
Cent Leather	29½	29	29
Cent Leather pf	99¾	99⅝	99⅝
Ches & Ohio	82¼	81⅛	81⅛
Col Fuel	31½	31¼	31½
Consol Gas	146	144⅞	145¼
Den & Rio G	32¼	32¼	32¼
Den & R G pf	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜
Dis Secur Co	36⅝	36½	36½
Erie	29⅞	29⅝	29½
Erie 1st pf	48¾	48¼	48¾
Gen Elec	149¾	148⅝	148⅞
Gt North pf	127⅝	127	127¼
Gt No Ore ctf	63¼	62	62
Illinois Cen	138	136½	138
Int Met Com	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Int Met pf	53⅞	53¾	53⅞
Iowa Central	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Kan City So	34½	34⅜	34½
Kan & Texas	34⅜	33¾	33¾
Kan & T pf	68¾	68	68
Louis & Nash	145⅞	145½	145¾
Missouri Pa	52⅞	51⅝	52
Nat Lead	53½	53½	53½
N Y Central	107¼	106⅝	106⅞
No Am Co	69¾	69¾	69¾
Nor & West	109½	109¼	109⅞
North Pacific	125	124	124
Ont & West	42	41¾	41¾
Pennsylvania	126¼	126	126
People's Gas	107¾	107	107
Pressed Steel	33½	33¼	33¼
Pullman Co	160	159½	160
Reading	158	156⅝	156½
Rep Iron & S	33⅞	33¼	33¼
Rock Is	30½	29⅞	29⅞
Rock Is pf	60	60	60
St Paul	122⅜	121⅝	121¾
So Pacific	118	117½	117⅝
Southern Ry	27⅛	26¾	26¾
Southern Ry pf	65½	65½	65½
Texas Pac	28⅞	28¾	28¾
Third Ave	10½	10½	10½
Union Pacific	178¼	176⅝	177
Union Pac pf	94	93½	93¾
U S Rub	42	41⅞	41⅞
U S Steel	79½	78⅝	78½
U S Steel pf	119⅝	119½	119½
U S Steel 5s	105¾	105⅝	105¾
Utah Copper	45	44½	44½
Wabash R R	17½	17⅜	17½
Wab R R pf	39	38¼	38¼
Westinghouse	67	67	67
Western Un	74⅛	73½	73⅝
Wiscon Cen	71	67⅞	70¾

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Nev	13c	11½c	12c
Bay State Gas	22c	21c	22c
Boston Ely	1½	1⅛	1½
Cactus	18c	15c	15c
Crown Reserve	3⅜	3⅛	3⅛
Davis-Daly	1¾	1¾	1¾
First National	2½	2⅛	2⅛
Goldfield Cons	6½	6½	6½
La Rose	4½	4⅜	4⅜
Majestic	30c	29c	30c
McKinley	1¾	1¾	1¾
Oneco	1⅝	1½	1½
Raven	21c	20c	20c
Rawhide Mining	2½	2½	2½
R I Coal	4½	4¾	4½
Vulture	7¾	7¼	7¾

STOCK MARKET

WAS WEAK AT THE CLOSING HOUR TODAY

Lower Prices Were Recorded in the Final Hour—Reading, U. P., and U. S. Steel Fell Off Sharply—Dullness Marked the Final Dealings

NEW YORK, March 29.—The stock market was irregular at the opening today. The largest changes were made by Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie, which advanced 1¾ and by American Car, which gained a point. Norfolk & Western was the heaviest feature with a loss of ⅝.

Bidding up of selected stocks failed to hold the market and there was a pretty general shading off to below yesterday's closing. Can. Pac. went up a point to 225 and its affiliated stocks, Wisconsin central and Minneapolis gained a point. National City bank jumped 7 points to 420. Speculation at 11 o'clock was very quiet but there was no pressure of consequence on the market.

Fears of an early decision in the trust cases had a restrictive effect on speculation and traders were also somewhat disappointed at the failure of the larger groups to advance their rise of yesterday. Much was made of the unusual success attending the bidding up of closely held stocks, such as the Canadian group, in which new high records are a daily feature. A new angle was given to the bulge in these stocks today by unconfirmed reports that Can. Pac. was buying into the Hawley stocks heavily. There was also talk along these lines of Lehigh Valley acquiring a large interest in Wabash. The motion introduced in the Pennsylvania legislature to investigate the anthracite industry held the coalers back some but the selling was very moderate. By midday most of the important stocks were practically on a level with last night's close. Dealings in convertible bonds were again a marked feature of the early session, sales of Atchison, U. P., and Norfolk & Western issues of this class constituting a large percentage of the whole.

A large proportion of the dealing was confined to stocks that do not normally figure to any notable extent in the market or sway general sentiment. Criticisms of the management over recent developments in the company were registered in the steady liquidation of American Woolen common and preferred stocks, which went down three points. Texas Co. also dropped two points. On the other hand Wis. Central eclipsed Can. Pac., the parent company, as a market feature, rising briskly to 71⅛, a gain of 4⅛. Nat'l Biscuit was run up 3¾ on a few transactions and there were gains of a point or more in other inactive stocks.

Can. Pac. climbed another point to 226 but the determined accumulation of this stock and other Canadian issues did not divert the professionals from selling the active stocks, which ruled at the lowest of the day. Reading, St. Paul and United States Steel sold ⅜ below yesterday's close.

The market closed weak. Still lower prices were recorded in the final hour, when such issues as Reading, U. P., and U. S. Steel fell sharply. Extreme dullness marked the final dealings.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	5	5	5
Am Ag Chem Com.	57¾	57	57
Am Ag Chem pf	101¾	101¾	101¾
Am Tel & Tel	147⅞	146⅞	146⅞
Am Woolen	34½	31½	31¾
Am Woolen pf	90¼	87¼	88
Arizona Com	14½	14¼	14¼
Boston & Albany	224½	224	224½
Boston Elevated	129½	129½	129½
Boston & Maine	117	116¾	117
Butte Coal'n	18¼	18¼	18¼
Cal & Arizona	50⅝	50½	50⅝
Cal & Hecla	99¾	95	95
Copper Range	64	63¾	64
Daly-West	4⅞	4¾	4¾
Fitchburg pf	128	128	128
Giroux	6½	6⅜	6⅜
Granby	32½	32½	32½
Greene-Cananea	6⅝	6½	6½
Indiana	12¾	12¾	12¾
Isle Royale	13¼	13¼	13¼
Mass Electric	17	17	17
Mass Electric pf	88	87¾	88
Mass Gas	92¾	92½	92⅞
Mass Gas pf	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
Mohawk	40	40	40
Nevada	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
New Eng Tel	145	145	145
N Y & N H	148½	148¼	148¼
North Butte	29	28½	28½
Osceola	108	108	108
Parrott	12	12	12
Shannon	10½	10¼	10¼
Superior & Pitts	14⅜	14¼	14⅜
Swift & Co	101	100⅝	100¾
Tamarack	40	40	40
United Fruit	181⅞	181	181
United Sh M	56½	56¼	56½
Un Sh M	56½	56¼	56½
Un Sh M pf	28¼	28¼	28¼
U S Smelting	34¾	34½	34½
U S Smelting pf	47⅞	47	47¼
Utah-Apex	2½	2½	2½
Utah Cons	13⅞	13¾	13¾
Winona	7½	7½	7½

Cotton Futures

	Opening	Close
April	14.20	14.26
May	14.35	14.36
June		14.12
July	14.18	14.10
August	13.69	13.61
September	12.98	12.96
October	12.60	12.59
November		12.51
December	12.50	12.48
January	12.50	12.46

Spot Cotton

Cotton spot closed quiet; 10 points higher. Middling Uplands, 14.46; Middling Gulf, 14.70. Sales, 200 bales.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET

BOSTON March 29.—The revival in the local copper market failed at the opening today and dullness again obtained. Values fell off on meagre selling.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES

BOSTON, Mar. 29.—Exchanges $27,814,582; balances, $1,684,436.

The Money Market

NEW YORK, March 29.—Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easy at 484.20 for 60 day bills and at 485.95 for demand. Commercial bills, 483¾; Bar silver, 52¾; Mexican dollars, 46; Government bonds, steady; Railroad bonds, irregular; Money on call, 2¼@2½; ruling rate, 2¼; last loan, 2½; closing bid, 2⅜; offered at 2½. Time loans easy; 60 days 2½ per cent.; 90 days 3; six months 3@3¼.

MILK TRANSPORTATION LAW

BOSTON, March 29.—Considerable dissatisfaction with the milk transportation law, which was passed by the last legislature and which went into effect ten days ago, was expressed at a legislative hearing today, and the committee was urged to report a bill repealing the act.

Milk dealers and farmers both declared that the new law discriminated in favor of distant points and made it possible to bring milk from Canada cheaper than from nearby towns.

THE LORIMER ELECTION

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 29.—H. H. Kohlsaat, publisher of the Chicago Record-Herald, told the senate investigating committee today that he knew that $100,000 had been used to procure the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate. He refused to give the committee the source of his information, notwithstanding the committee had the power to imprison him because of his refusal.

When Mr. Kohlsaat was first called to the stand he was asked where he obtained his information on which he wrote an editorial, saying $100,000 had been raised to elect Lorimer.

Mr. Kohlsaat declined to answer a number of questions. He said he could not violate a confidence.

The committee then took a recess and Mr. Kohlsaat was excused until Thursday morning.

Mr. Kohlsaat was informed by the committee that its members had agreed that he must answer the questions regarding the money.

SINGERS COMING

ARTHUR HARRISON TO BRING HIS COMPANY TO LOWELL

Spring is here all right for the warblers made their appearance in town today. Mr. Arthur Harrison, a member of the Harrison Publishing Co., of Providence, called on Mayor Meehan today and sought permission to occupy the public streets for the purpose of entertaining the people with the latest popular selections, free of charge. The mayor who is a friend of Mr. Harrison said that he has no objection. In fact, he thought it was entertainment for the people providing the street is not obstructed to travel, and the matter will come to the attention of the police board. Mr. Harrison who is a sweet singer himself, will come here with four companions, one of whom plays the piano while the others sing. He has been an annual visitor to our city for several years and with his company of singers has always made a big hit. They visit the different mill gates and they also sing at the central points of the city. Every member of the company possesses a pleasing voice and they have with them the latest in the line of waltz songs and coon melodies. Mr. Harrison who has a fine tenor voice told the mayor that this year he has songs that will reach the people and he predicts that before he is here two days every youth in Lowell will be whistling the airs. He expects to get here early in April and will remain several weeks. From here, he will go to Lawrence and then will tour New England.

WOMAN DROWNED

BOSTON, March 29.—A young woman mounted the railing of the Harvard bridge over the Charles river today and plunged into the water. She was dead when taken out by the police. The suicide was about 30 years of age. No name was found on her clothing.

SHOT TO KILL.

Holmes—Shoot those birds on the wing?

Batzendorf—Yah! On de ving, on de foot, on de head, anyvhere—all over.

AN AWAKENING.

Great Bruin—How faint I feel! I must have overslept myself this spring.

THE FEMININE INSTINCT.

"Say, Floss, what makes that snake tie himself up in a knot?"

"Guess he wants to remember something, and he hasn't got any handkerchief."

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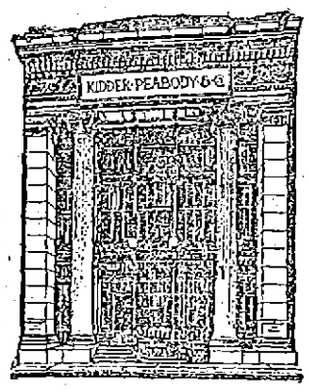

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FINAL MEETING

Of Middlesex North Institute Was Held Today

The last meeting of the Middlesex No. Agricultural society of this season was held today in the Chelmsford Centre town hall. The meeting was largely attended by members of the organization and their friends from the surrounding towns. The speeches were heard with great interest and the speakers were received with loud applause.

The meeting was presided over by H. W. Foster, chairman of the institute, who introduced as the first speaker Rev. Wilson Waters, who delivered an eloquent address of welcome. The reverend gentleman was quite witty in his remarks. He was followed by Mr. Edward S. Leonard of Boston, who gave a very interesting lecture on cement and its various uses.

Mr. Leonard gave several facts about the manufacturing of cement. "Between the years of 1860 and 1870," said the speaker, "six cement factories were started in this country after some American chemist had studied the manufacture of cement in Europe. In 1880 the real manufacturing of cement was begun in this country and last year 74,000,000 barrels of cement were manufactured. At the present time cement is very low and the mills are not making very great profit, and some of them would be willing to sell out if purchasers were found."

Mr. Leonard, who is very well posted on this subject, gave figures as to the cost of manufacturing cement. He gave descriptions of several cement buildings and told of its fire-proof qualities. He stated facts as to how the inside and furniture of cement buildings have been completely gutted by fire, while the outside of the buildings has remained intact. "Steel won't stand the heat that cement will," continued Mr. Leonard, "for it will warp and become like spring beds."

Mr. Leonard urged the farmers to construct their buildings of cement, especially their stables, or at least the floors as they will be easy to wash out, and will not rot as the wooden floors. Milk houses built of cement would be a great improvement as they can be easily flushed out and kept in a good clean condition.

"How thick must the walls be?" asked a member of the association. "About 10 inches," answered Mr. Leonard. Many other questions were asked and answered to the satisfaction of all.

The speaker then told of a neighbor of his in Framingham who built a cement block cottage. He manufactured the mixing machine himself and made all the blocks necessary for the house which he erected afterwards.

Prof. H. T. Hall, Brighton, Mass., was the next speaker.

The meeting was resumed at one o'clock after the large attendance, numbering over 300, partook of a dainty dinner served in the vestry of the church and the lower floor of the town hall.

The Elite orchestra of Lowell rendered several beautiful selections under the direction of Miss Harlette Mansur. The music was delightful and the musicians were encored several times. This orchestra which is composed solely of women is formed of the following: Piano, Miss Harlette Mansur; violin, Miss Mildred Brennan; cornet, Mrs. Elisha Hutchinson; 'cello, Miss Mary B. Raynes.

Right along in a row on the stage were several plates containing apples of immense size and rich in color. The exhibition of these fruits proved very interesting. The apples exhibited are of the following brands: Methuen Rd. Greening, Methuen Baldwin, Methuen Winter Porter, Methuen Green sweet, Roxbury Russett, Billerica Baldwin, Arkansas Black, Spitzenburg, Bonanna, Washington Wenatchee, Romebenuty, Newton, Stayman, Methuen Hubbardston.

Mr. J. Thompson Blood of Concord Junction who is well known among the residents of Chelmsford; is a clever impersonator and showed it this afternoon by impersonating different characters. Mr. Blood recited many witty bits and was well received by the audience.

Mr. De Lacy Corkum of Billerica was the next man introduced and his subject was "Reciprocity." He spoke at length on the purposed reciprocity treaty between this country and Canada. Mr. Corkum proved a very interesting orator. He advocated reciprocity and delivered an interesting address on that question, interspersed with witty remarks. He mentioned how goods manufactured in this country can be brought cheaper in Canada at the present time. Reciprocity, he claims, will kill any such business. He then told how the level heads of these two countries know what they are doing when they are talking reciprocity and he feels assured that these men would not sign any treaty that would ruin any industry in either country.

Rev. Smith Baker of Lowell was the next speaker introduced. He spoke for some time taking as his subject, "Woman." The reverend gentleman spoke with his usual eloquence, and if ever woman, especially the Chelmsford woman, received a compliment, it was this afternoon.

Mr. J. Thompson Blood was again introduced and gave a comic lecture on "Old Fashioned Hats."

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Needle Cases—With all sizes of needles. Regular prices 25c and 39c. This Sale 19c
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton—White and black, 200 yards. This Sale 2c Spool
Dress Shields—Featherweight in sizes 2 and 3. Regular price 12 1-2c. . . This Sale 8c
Wire Hair Pins—Plain and crimped. Several lengths. Regular price 3c. This Sale 3 for 5c
Cling Socket Fasteners—Black and White. Regular price 15c dozen. This Sale 12c
Nickle Safety Pins—All sizes, dozen on a card. Regular price 5c. This Sale 2 for 5c
Sampson Pins—Full count, extra good. Regular price 3c. This Sale 3 for 5c
English Pins—Solid heads, all sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 7c
Slip-Out Collar Supports—All sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Hair Pin Cabinets—Assorted sizes wire pins. Regular price 13c..This Sale 9c
Corset Steels—5-clasp, white and drab Regular price 10c.....This Sale 7c
Bias Tape—White, 12-yard pieces. Regular price 17c...This Sale 12½c
Linen Corset Laces—5-yard length. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Hooks and Eyes—With hump, black and white, all sizes. Regular price 5c .....This Sale 2 for 5c
Shoe Laces—6 pairs in a bunch. Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Taffeta Seam Binding—Nine-yard pieces, odd colors. Regular price 10c. This Sale 3c
Brooks' Spool Cotton—White, black and colors .....This Sale 2c
Sheet Pins—In jet, mat, turquoise and white. Regular prices 10c and 12c. This Sale 7c
Smoke Pearl Buttons—All sizes. Regular prices 5c.....This Sale 4c
Darning Needles—Long darners, assorted in paper. Regular price 8c a dozen.....This Sale 5c
Finishing Braid—With drawing string, white and colors. Regular price 6c yard .....This Sale 2c
Gilt Head Collar Pins—Round and square heads. Regular price 5c. This Sale 4c
Cotton Tape—White and black, all widths. Regular price 3c, This Sale 3 for 5c
Clinton Safety Pins—All sizes. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Celluloid Thimbles—White and colors. Regular price 5c..This Sale 2 for 5c
Tape Measures—60-inch dressmakers' tape measures. Regular price 5c, This Sale 3c
Pearl Trimming Buttons—All colors. Reg. price 10c dozen...This Sale 5c
Hose Supporters—With satin pad, all colors. Regular price 25c, This Sale 19c
Mending Tissue—All colors, in a package. Regular price 10c..This Sale 8c
Ironing Wax—Cloth covered with handle. Regular price 4 for 5c, This Sale 7 for 5c
Featherweight Braid—A dozen patterns, all white, 6-yard pieces. Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Taffeta Seam Binding—White and colors. Regular price 17c, This Sale 14c
Kid Curlers—Two sizes. Regular prices 15c and 17c.....This Sale 10c
Skirt Yokes—Black and white, all sizes. Regular prices 15c and 17c, This Sale 10c
Elastic Shirt Waist Belts—White and black. Regular price 10c, This Sale 7c
Spool Silk—100 yards, all colors. Regular price 8c.....This Sale 4c
Sonoma Fasteners—Black and silver, all sizes. Regular price 10c dozen, This Sale 6c
Pearl Buttons—All sizes, two and four holes. Regular prices 10c and 12c, This Sale 5c
Hose Supporters—Fancy elastic web, blue and white. Regular prices 39c and 50c .....This Sale 10c
Pearlbone Collar Supporters—All widths. Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Linen Finish Thread—For shoe buttons. Regular price 5c, This Sale 3c
Darning Cotton—On spools, all colors. Regular price 3c..This Sale 3 for 5c
Collar Supports—Taffeta silk covered, all widths. Regular price 5c, This Sale 3c
All Silk Shoe Laces—30 inches, black and tan. Regular price 10c, This Sale 7c
Mourning Pins—In boxes, white and black heads. Regular price 4c, This Sale 2c
Oversleeves—In white and linen. Regular price 25c..... This Sale 10c
Men's Arm Bands—Pink, blue and white ribbon bows. Regular prices 39c and 50c.....This Sale 10c
Pearl Buttons—Two-hole, in all sizes. Regular price 5c.....This Sale 4c
Pin Cubes—Black, white and assorted color heads. Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
English Needles—Assorted sizes. Regular price 3c.....This Sale 3 for 5c

TOILET ARTICLES

Pumice Stone—Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Cupid Puffs—Fragrant sachets. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 10c
Mirrors—Round with stand attachment. Regular price 50c, This Sale 25c
Face Chamois Skins—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 10c
Requa's Complete Manicure Set—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Sandown Hair Nets—All colors. Regular price 15c....This Sale 3 for 25c
Rubber Gloves—All sizes, guaranteed. Regular price 50c.....This Sale 39c
Woodworth's Trailing Arbutus Talcum Powder—Regular price 15c, This Sale 10c
Petroleum Jelly Vaseline—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 6c
Cloth Covered Tourist Cases—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Requa's Nail Bleach—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Hines' Honey and Almond Cream—Regular price 50c.....This Sale 33c
Marcel Wavers—Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
Whisk Brooms—Fancy celluloid handles. Regular price 25c, This Sale 17c
Puffs—3 in set. Regular price 50c, This Sale 19c
Rubber and Celluloid Dressing Combs—Regular price 25c....This Sale 15c
Elastic Hair Nets—Regular price 10c. This Sale 4c
All Bristle Tooth Brushes—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Bathadora—Fragrant for the bath. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Listerated Tooth Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Tweezers, Nail Files and Blackhead Removers—Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Orange Wood Sticks—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 1c
Hand Nail Scrubs—Regular price 25c, This Sale 5c
Hard Water Castile Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Sachet Powder—Heliotrope, carnation, crushed rose. Regular price 50c per ounce.....This Sale 15c per oz.
Pond's Extract Soap—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 15c
Satin Skin Cream—Regular price 50c, This Sale 25c
Fancy Toilet Soaps—Violet, rose, sandalwood. Regular price 10c, This Sale 5c
Woodworth's Perfumes—Regular price 35c per oz.....This Sale 20c per oz.
Felt's Foot Soap—Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
No-Scent Odorless Perspiration Cream—Regular price 25c....This Sale 15c
Eastman's Adrea Cold Cream—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 10c
Theatre Rouge—Regular price 25c, This Sale 15c
4 Oz. Toilet Water—Carnation, Hyacinthe and rose. Regular price 25c, This Sale 10c
La Blache Face Powder—Regular price 43c.....This Sale 33c
24-inch Washable Hair Rolls—Regular price 50c.....This Sale 35c
Ivory Soap—Regular price 5c, This Sale 4c
English Violet Toilet Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Orr's Glycerine Soap—Regular price 15c .....This Sale 5c
Shaving Brushes—Regular price 13c, This Sale 10c
Sans Dermal Talcum Powder—Regular price 19c.....This Sale 11c
Pompeian Massage Cream—Regular price 75c.....This Sale 42c
Hair Brushes—Good bristles. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 13c
Jergen's Hand Pumice Soap—Regular price 5c.....This Sale 3c
Bay Rum—Extra quality. Regular price 25c.....This Sale 15c
Corylopsis Talcum Powder—Regular price 15c.....This Sale 10c
Beef, Iron, Wine—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Leighton's Antiseptine Disinfectant—Regular price 49c.....This Sale 25c
Fountain Syringes—Regular price 98c, This Sale 69c
Gold Cross Foot Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 12c
Leighton's Cleansing Compound—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 12c
Requa's Nail Polish—Regular price 19c This Sale 10c
Ricksecker's Cold Cream—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 14c
Eastman's Large Can Talcum Powder—Regular price 10c....This Sale 3c
Pyralins Infants' Sets—Regular price 98c .....This Sale 85c
Italian Violet Orris Root Sachet—Regular price 25c..This Sale 10c per oz.
Pompeian Massage Soap—Regular price 15c.....This Sale 10c
Atomizers—Hard rubber, continuous spray. Regular price 50c, This Sale 39c
Resinol Soap—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Campbell's Florida Water—Regular price 50c.....This Sale 30c
Sanitol and Calox Tooth Powder—Regular price 25c.....This Sale 16c
Camphorated Cold Cream—Regular price 10c.....This Sale 5c
Kolynos and Sanitol Paste—Regular price 25c .....This Sale 15c
Ricksecker's Toilet Water—Regular price 75c.....This Sale 59c
Benzoin-Almond Lotion—Regular price 35c .....This Sale 15c
Manicure and Embroidery Scissors, also Pen Knives—Regular price 25c, This Sale 18c
Keep Clean Hair Brushes—Regular price 50c .....This Sale 39c
Regal Foot Ease—Regular price 25c, This Sale 15c

Jewelry and Shell Goods

Mesh Bags—German silver finish, long chains. Regular price 30c, This Sale 24c
Coin Purses—Cold and silver finish, round or square. Regular prices 25c and 39c .....This Sale 19c
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VICIOUS ASSAULT

Victim Unable to Appear in Court

---Cruelty to Horse

Joseph Powlaski, who it is alleged nearly killed Rudolf Schiller by striking him over the head with an iron bar at the state infirmary at Tewksbury two weeks ago, appeared in court this morning to be given a hearing on a complaint charging him with assault and battery but inasmuch as Schiller was unable to leave the hospital the case was continued until next Wednesday, Powlaski being held under $800 for his appearance on that date.

Powlaski and Schiller were inmates at the infirmary and were engaged in washing floors after the other inmates had gone to bed While they were performing the work they got into an argument and it is alleged that Powlaski picked up an iron bar and felled Schiller to the floor. Powlaski then made his escape but was later captured and brought to Lowell where he was locked up.

Cruelty to a Horse

Arthur Ayotte pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with cruelty to a horse. The testimony offered during the course of the hearing would indicate that Ayotte was inclined to think that dumb animals had no feelings. But for the intercession of his mother and sister Ayotte would have been dealt with severely by the court. Their pitiful appeals caused the court to be lenient, and the man was placed on probation.

Ayotte has been in the employ of a local wood dealer, and from time to time he has kicked the horse which he drove. The matter was reported to Agent Richardson and yesterday he and Patrolman Breault placed him under arrest.

The testimony showed that when the horse would not go fast enough for him he would kick the animal. The horse had been kicked so many times in one of the vital organs that the animal became unfit for use.

Witnesses testified to seeing Ayotte kick the horse and one witness said that Ayotte told him the reason he kicked the horse was because he wanted to go to see his girl and the horse would not run fast enough.

Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society and Patrolman Breault testified to the animal's condition and the court was about to impose sentence when the defendant's mother and sister came forward and pleaded with the court. The mother said the son was her sole support and felt that if the court would be lenient with him that he would do better in the future. Judge Hadley was moved by the woman's tears and decided to give Ayotte a chance. He told the defendant that owing to his inclination to abuse horses that he must not take any employment where he would have to drive a horse. Ayotte was then placed on probation for six months at the end of which time he will have to appear before the court to give an account of his actions during the interim.

Stole Copper Wire

Chester H. Parker was found guilty of the larceny of 117 pounds of copper valued at $12, the property of the Boott mills and ordered to pay a fine of $15 in three days or go to jail for three months. Parker had been in the employ of Contractors Simpson who are doing work at the mills and when the opportunity afforded itself he took the copper.

Stole Tools

John Hayes of Haverhill was charged with drunkenness and the larceny of two wrenches and a screw driver the property of Peter Eklund, a machinist at the Penny Arcade in Central street. According to the testimony offered Hayes, while under the influence of liquor yesterday, entered the machine shop in the rear of the arcade and stole the tools.

Patrolman Johnson arrested Hayes because he was drunk and when the latter was brought to the police station and searched the tools were found in his possession.

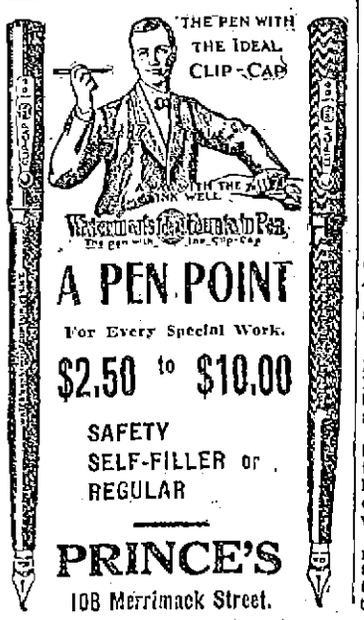
Hayes had little defense to offer other than he was drunk and did not know what he was doing at the time. He was found guilty and fined $10.

Other Offenders

William F. Mead, charged with being drunk, was given a suspended sentence of six months in jail and placed in the hands of the probation officer for a term of one year.

Julia Blanchard was given a direct sentence of five months in jail.

Patrick Welch, a parole man will be returned to the state farm at Bridgewater. There were three first offenders who were fined $2 each.



Which of these men wants to borrow $10?

DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Woman and Grandson Found Dead

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 29.—Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, aged 80 years, and her grandson, Harold Sykes, aged 7, were found asphyxiated by illuminating gas in the home of the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sykes, at 664 Plainfield street here last night. The gas escaped from two open valves in the kitchen gas range. The discovery of the double tragedy was made when Mrs. Sykes came home from a three days' visit to Stafford springs, Conn., where her husband is employed. She found the doors locked and neighbors forced an entrance. Both Mrs. Taylor and the boy were in night garments and had been dead for several hours. The boy had apparently tried to escape but was overcome while trying to reach fresh air. His body was found on the floor under a chair. Mrs. Taylor died as she slept.

LIEUT. ERLER

MADE THE LONGEST FLIGHT IN GERMANY

HAMBURG, March 29.—Lieut. Erler, accompanied by a passenger, made a flight yesterday from the Doeberitz maneuver field, near Berlin, to Hamburg, in a biplane. The distance by air line is 140 miles, and it was covered in three hours and 30 minutes. This is the longest sustained flight ever made in Germany.

$60,000 MISSING

Express Messenger Has Disappeared

EL PASO, Texas, March 29.—W. A. Hawkins, a Wells Fargo express messenger on the El Paso & Western railroad, has disappeared and officials of the road state that $60,000 is also missing. The money is alleged to have been taken between Nogales, Arizona, and Mazatlan, Mexico, on March 20, while Hawkins was employed on that run. The money was being shipped from Hermosillo to Mazatlan.

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THE CELEBRATION AN ASSURED SUCCESS

The enthusiasm in the parade of April 19 should be greater than ever, now that there will be no state appropriation. The civic societies should turn out in large numbers to swell the ranks. The military turnout will undoubtedly be among the largest ever seen in Lowell. The patriotism of Lowell has been touched, and that alone will ensure the success of the celebration.

COMPENSATION LAW CANNOT BE COMPULSORY

We may benefit from the experience of New York state in the preparation of a workmen's compensation act. The Empire state framed such an act and made its adoption compulsory. The supreme court of New York has just decided that the measure is invalid, inasmuch as it would deprive both parties to a claim for damages of their right to trial by jury which is guaranteed under the constitution and cannot be abrogated. In other respects the act would stand all the legal tests. In New Jersey a compensation bill has been passed by the senate, but it is permissive, and in this feature overcomes the objection raised against the New York law. It is well to remember this essential feature, and it is rather surprising that none of the New York legislators saw the defect before it was pointed out by the supreme court.

LET US GUARD AGAINST FIRE HORRORS

Have we here in Lowell any lesson to learn from the New York holocaust? We asked this question some six months ago, at the time of the Newark, N. J., fire, but were answered by Chief Hosmer in the negative. We shall repeat the question now in spite of the negative answer, for we are told that there is a factory in Lowell in which a large number of girls are employed in an old building with no adequate fire escapes. If such be the case Chief Hosmer should investigate and have the matter attended to without delay. If the state inspectors allow any building in which hundreds are employed to go without fire escapes in violation of the law that fact should be known.

Where the owners of buildings balk at compliance with the law on account of the expense, they should be summarily dealt with. We cannot afford to run the risk of any such horror as occurred in New York last Saturday.

AN INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION FOR LOWELL

There is some talk of an industrial exhibition in connection with the celebration of our 75th anniversary as a city. That would be a capital method of advertising our wares. It would even enlighten our own citizens, a vast number of whom have but a very vague idea as to what is manufactured in our mills.

When the people who attended the recent high school performance saw the splendid material of which the costumes were made and heard that it was manufactured at the Merrimack mills they were astonished. They did not know that such fine fabrics were made here. They did not realize that, excepting silks, the Lowell mills make all kinds of fabrics, from the finest prints to the richest Brussels and tapestry carpets.

An exhibition of the products of our factories would help Lowell in showing not only our own people but thousands of outsiders just what our factories produce.

UNCLE SAM'S MOVE ON MEXICO

Speculation is still rife as to the real object of Uncle Sam in massing troops upon the Mexican border and ordering battleships to the strategetic points along the coast.

The European powers look with wonderment upon the situation, and some prominent officials have expressed the opinion that the United States as the defender of the Monroe doctrine is responsible in a measure for what may befall the interests of Europeans in Mexico. Some of the European powers seem to think that they are debarred by this doctrine from protecting their own interests in Mexico or any of the other small American republics, but such is not the case. The Monroe doctrine does not prohibit the application of force by European powers to protect their legitimate interests, but it does forbid any European power from settling on the American continent. Any foreign power may bombard a port and seize a city in the enforcement of a just claim; but as soon as that claim is satisfied it must get out.

There is an impression abroad at the present time to the effect that Uncle Sam would not go to the trouble and expense of mobilizing an army on the Mexican frontier merely on account of the rebellion in Mexico. It is believed that this move is aimed at preventing Japan from getting a foothold on Mexican soil. Either of the belligerents might approach Japan with an offer of concessions in lieu of assistance in case of victory.

The United States will take care that nothing of that kind happens, and it is quite likely also that as a means of protecting American interests, our government may intervene to restore peace unless the situation changes very soon.

The insurrectos in Mexico are fighting for needed reforms. The Diaz cabinet, unable either to promote reforms or to overcome the rebels, resigned, and the new cabinet is said to be no better so far as promoting necessary reforms is concerned. It would not be to the credit of the United States to throttle an uprising for reforms that are just and right and that should be granted. Rebellion is sometimes justified as the history of this country will prove, and when its purpose is right and its chances of success reasonable, no liberty loving nation should suppress it under any pretext. Reports are so contradictory that it is difficult for Americans to sense the situation in Mexico so as to tell just which side is right and which wrong. That means that the Diaz government being in office will get the benefit of the doubt, but until President Diaz retires there is little probability of permanent peace.

THE OPERA HOUSE

A performance of unusual excellence is being given by the Thompson-Flynn stock company at the opera house, where "The Christian," by Hall Caine, is the play for the current week. The play is a drama of intense interest and a strong dramatic situations, qualities that make it one of the most successful productions of its time, and in the hands of this talented company loses none of the interest or pleasing features of the original production. Stanley Forrest, gives to the character of "John Storm," a forceful and artistic interpretation that is as convincing a piece of work as this clever actor has so far given us. Frances Whitehouse, is seen as "Glory Quayle," playing with a fine intelligence and ability that gives to the part the requisite light and shade to convey the author's meaning of the character. Others in the cast who contribute to the excellence of the performance are Benedict MacQuarrie, Mary Sanders, Geraldine Russell, Chas. J. Haines, Frank Christy, Bartley McCullum and Russell Clark, as well as other members of the long cast. As in all previous productions, the scenic settings were all new and of an elaborate nature that elicited applause at the rise of each curtain. "The Christian" will be presented every afternoon and evening this week except Friday, when the stock company will give way to Cyril Scott, in "The Lottery Man." On Thursday afternoon after the matinee performance another of the popular receptions will be given by the company. Next week "In the Bishop's Carriage" will be the bill for the week. —Adv.

"THE LOTTERY MAN"

One of the best attraction of the season at the Opera House will be the engagement of "The Lottery Man" which will receive its first local hearing next Friday night. Cyril Scott who is best remembered for his excellent work in "The Prince Chap" a few seasons ago, is the star. The company is the same splendid organization that played New York at the Bijou theatre for practically the entire season last year and includes Helen Lowell, Bertha Bartlett, Louise Galloway, Jennie Dickenson Mary Leslie Mayo, Robert McKay, Harry Dornton and Wallace Sharpe.—Adv.

MADAME X

The production of Madame X to be seen here on April 5 is the original one which ran for nearly two seasons in New York and which has only just ended an engagement of nearly one hundred performances at the Majestic Theatre, Boston. The cast has not been altered since the sensational success which was achieved in New York two seasons ago when the drama was declared to be the most notable production in twenty years. Dorothy Donnelly, who made such a pronounced hit in the leading role, that of an unfortunate victim of drugs and drink who finds herself after long years of separation from home ties at the bar of justice accused of murder, her own son her defending counsel, will be seen here and she is assisted by Malcolm Williams, W. H. Denny, Ralph Morgan and Robert Paton Gibbs.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Talk about realism in a theatrical performance. There is everything in "Shore Acres" as now being presented by the Donald Meek Stock company, but real snow and they'd have that were such a thing possible.

"Land's Sakes, that's real water!" explained a woman last evening as "Nathaniel Berry" turned the faucet in the sink in the kitchen scene and drew forth a basin full of aqua pura. Then there's a real turkey dinner served hot at each performance and the cutest baby, also real, imaginable, for James A. Herne himself never gave more attention to the detail of his celebrated play than has been given by Donald Meek in staging "Shore Acres. The the public appreciates these facts and the clever work of the company, is evidenced by the big advance sale for the remaining performances and those who desire to witness a performance of "Shore Acres" are advised to order without delay. "Shore Acres" is a play that does one good. It depicts the simple annals of the good old New England folk, and the lights and shadows are drawn by the pen of a real artist. Comedy and pathos are most gracefully intertwined, the former clean and without horse play and the latter tender and at no time tragic or melodramatic. In the character of Nathaniel Berry," Donald Meek is making one of the big hits of his career. While his versatility is already well known to Lowell audiences, his work in the part of the good old Yankee lightkeeper surpasses anything that he has done in a long time. He receives excellent support from Harry Arnold as "Martin Berry," brother of "Nathaniel," Miss Mabelle Estelle as "Helen Berry" and Miss Ada Allen as "Mrs. Berry," while the other members of the company are all well cast. The scenery and accessories are attractive, particularly the lighthouse scene in the third act, the strongest scene dramatically speaking, in the play. Next Week the company will present Robert Edeson's great success "Strongheart" with Severin DeDoyn in the title role and Donald Meek playing the part of "Billy," a character that has made several comedians famous. "Billy" brings Mr. Meek back to accustomed straight comedy work and gives him a fine opportunity to display his talent in this direction. In "Strongheart" also Miss Estelle has a most attractive part.

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MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Lamont and his performing Australian Cockatoos are making one of the biggest hits of the season at the Merrimack Square theatre this week. The act which introduces the collection of wonderful birds is the most entertaining of its kind in vaudeville today. Just think of what these birds do! Acrobatic stunts, such as one sees at the circus, somersaults, both in the air and on the ground, are only a few of the many unusual accomplishments of these cockatoos.

The Pete Lawrence Trio presents a short sketch that compares with some of the funniest seen on a local stage. One of the members has a line of slang talk that is laughable as can be and the Gould sisters are character change artists with but few superiors. Their impersonations of stage celebrities are without doubt the best of their kind which a Lowell audience has had the pleasure to enjoy in some seasons. Dick Mansfield, "The Man from Australia," sings some songs of his own composition and Emma Churchill, soloist, is exceptionally good. The daylight motion pictures are first-class.

A special announcement is made of of the appearance of John J. Quigley, the original newsboy tenor, at next Sunday's sacred concerts. This is his first appearance on the stage in five years. Mr. Quigley is well known in Lowell and no doubt will be warmly greeted when he is introduced.

Always something going on at the Merrimack square from 1.30 to 10.30 p. m. Try a supper hour matinee.—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE

Ted and Clara Steele, that famous pair of rapid fire comedians heads the bill at the Colonial today. Their act is marked with snap and ginger that still continues to please and fascinate our patrons. The great La Velle, contortionist and trapeze artist whose skillful and daring tricks have won him fame from coast to coast. Frank Phipps, novelty singer and dancer. Don't fail to hear him play the mouth organ. His skill is remarkable. Remember our motion pictures and illustrated songs are the latest and finest that can be procured and are carefully selected to please our patrons. Just drop in and see for yourself. Entire change of bill tomorrow. The amateurs furnished fun galore last night.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The show for the first half of the week at this house is one that is full of comedy. The Tremont quartet is one of the best that has been seen here this season and harmonizes well. Alex Wilson, the clever ventriloquist, provokes some laughable comedy with his mechanical figures. Robinson and Bessette, the knockabout comedy singers and dancers, have an act that will surely please. Tonight is amateur night. The bill for Thursday includes the Geers, European Aerial Gymnasts, Dow and Dow, singers and dancers, and Charles Lee & Co., in a comedy playlet, "A Financial Mistake."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

There was a large attendance at the meeting of Division 8, A. O. H. last night. Daniel Reilly presided and considerable routine business was transacted during the night. The division voted to take part in the parade to be held in this city on the 19th of April. Reports were heard from various committees showing that the division is in a very prosperous condition. President Reilly reported for the county board meeting, which was held at Waltham on Sunday, and his report was most encouraging. He had the pleasure of reporting to the members that Division 8 leads Middlesex county by a very large margin, showing 350 members in good standing. The report was well reeived. There were several propositions for membership received, and it is assured that the division will do its share toward making the class initiation on April 16 a grand success.

The Reform Club

There was an unusually large attendance at the regular weekly business meeting of the Lowell Refom club in their parlors, Odd Fellows temple, last evening, President Neonan presiding.

A large amount of routine business was transacted and many committee reports were heard. The whist tournament committee announced that the whist tournament, in which great interest has been centered would close this week. The prizes will be given the winners at the next meeting.

A committee on baseball was appointed and a hustling team will be organized for the season, there being some fine material to select from among the younger members.

The Harmony Campers, composed of many of the hustling young members of the club, will plant their camp up the river in Tyngsboro this season. Many of the older members of the society were present at this meeting and words of encouragement were spoken to the young men, urging them to stick to their pledge during the summer months and stand by the club that had maintained such a pleasant home for them during the long winter evenings. The meeting was a most profitable one, and every effort will be put forth to maintain the present membership during the warm season now at hand.

The annual election and reports of the Lowell Reform club corporation will take place in the society's quarters, Odd Fellows temple, the first week in April.

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ANNUAL "HIKE"

Military Companies are Ready for Test

Great preparations are being made for the competitive march from the state house in Boston, to the state armory in Westford street on April 19th, for the Humphrey O'Sullivan trophies and which will be held under the auspices of Company C, Sixth regiment, M. V. M. One hundred circulars holding the details of the march were mailed to different commanders in the six New England states yesterday. In the next few days the circulars, accompanied by entry blanks, will go to the southern and middle western states.

Inquiries have come from Florida and the Carolinas and from Ohio relative to the conditions to be imposed on the marchers and it is probable that squads of men from the militia of these states, together with crack squads from various arms of the regular army will be entered.

Capt. George W. Peterson is doing the heaviest kind of work in preparing for the hike. He believes that fully 100 squads will front the tape at the state house in an endeavor to lift the handsome trophies. He is aware of the fact that a whole lot will be going on in Lowell on April 19, but has received assurances that the hike will be welcomed as an additional attraction for the day.

The circular states that squads of eight enlisted men from one company, troop, battery, all regularly enlisted and mustered before April 1st, 1911, are eligible as contestants. The uniform to be worn for the hike will either be olive, drab or khaki, whichever is desired by the squad, together with leggings, campaign hat, suspender belt, haversack with mess kit, canteen and rifle. No collar roll will be worn. Each contestant must carry on his person all food and liquid to be taken during the march.

All contestants must be inspected before and after the march and their records verified in the adjutant general's office of each state and by the post commander of the regular establishment. Any man not regularly enlisted will disqualify the entire squad, of which he is a part.

The squads will start at 9 a. m. from in front of the state house in Boston. The route as yet has not been fully determined upon, but it must be followed throughout by every squad. Any gait is permissible, but all members of a quad must keep together at distances of not over three paces. The entire distance must be accomplished on foot, either walking or running. Halts and changes in gait are matters left to discretion of the squad commander.

Inspectors will follow the contestants to see that the rules are strictly enforced. The squad which arrives first in close order formation, at the lower step of the front entrance of the Lowell armory with all its members present will be the winner and will receive the O'Sullivan trophy.

The prizes will be awarded as follows: First, to the winning squad; second, to be given to contestants from the Massachusetts organized militia, and will be given to the squad from this state that finishes first unless winning the first prize, then to the next winning squad from Massachusetts.

The third prize will be given to the squad that finishes in second place or third place, as the case may be in order that one prize only may go to one squad.

The entry fee for each squad will be five dollars. It must be sent to the committee having the matter in charge before noon Saturday, April 15, 1911. One or more squads may be entered from the same company. Permission to march with arms must be obtained by company commanders under acts of 1908, chapter 64, section 163. The committee having charge of the hike are the officers of Company C, Sixth regiment: Capt. George W. Peterson, First Lieut. Harold J. Patten and Second Lieut. James J. Powers.

JULIA E. WARREN

OBSERVED 81ST ANNIVERSARY OF HER BIRTH

Mrs. Julia E. Warren of Chelmsford observed the 81st anniversary of her birth yesterday and the event was recognized by many of her friends who called at her home on the Boston road to extend their congratulations and good wishes. There were many offerings of beautiful flowers and candy.

Mrs. Warren is in excellent health and more than usually active and alert for one of her years and perhaps the fact that, while retaining a vivid and entertaining recollection of the past, she keeps fully abreast of present day affairs has much to do with her continued youthfulness.

31 YEARS OLD

Court Merrimack Observed Anniversary

The 31st anniversary of the organization of Court Merrimack, No. 11, Foresters of America, was observed last night by the members in Grafton hall, the anniversary taking the form of a minstrel entertainment, which was presented by the Pequot club, composed of young men of this city. The affair was a grand success and reflects much credit on the committee in charge of the arrangements.

JOHN W. SHARKEY,
Chief Ranger Court Merrimack, F. of A.

During the early part of the evening a short business meeting was held, Chief Ranger John W. Sharkey presiding. Several matters of importance were acted upon and considerable routine business transacted. Messrs. John W. Sharkey, Charles L. Marren, John McPadden, John Barrett, Joseph H. Dallagher and George R. O'Neil were elected delegates to the grand court convention. The alternates were: Thomas A. Berth, Patrick J. Mahoney, David Gerow, Dennis O'Brien, Ed Shanahan and John J. Duffy. Remarks were made by Grand Secretary William H. Stafford, Financial Secretary John McPadden; Sub Chief Ranger Thomas A. Berth and Charles L. Marren.

At the conclusion of the meeting the Pequot club furnished the following program: Song, Frank Maguire, "All That I Want is Love;" and song, Warren Rogers, "If You Don't Change Your Living That's the Way You'll Die;" song, Michael Critcheley, "Where the River Shannon Flows;" and song, Samuel Cassen, "Follow the Car Track;" song, George Kerwin, "Honor Bright I Love You Right Old Pal;" finale, William Shea, "Give My Regards to Mabel."

The chorus consisted of 60 voices. Songs were rendered by James Fagan and John Myers. The accompanists were Wm. T. Gilmore and Robert Fay.

THE ART EXHIBIT

By Joseph A. Nesmith at Whistler House

An interesting exhibit of 19 pastels and two water colors, the work of Mr. Joseph A. Nesmith of this city, and president of the Lowell Art association, was opened in the Whistler house, last evening. This collection was recently exhibited in the gallery of the Twentieth Century club in Boston, where it received most flattering commendation from the Boston art critics.

A. J. Philpott, writing in the Globe, after referring to the fact that Mr. Nesmith did not claim to be a professional, said he certainly was not an amateur, since he "amuses himself and amazes other people by his facility in sketching and the remarkable grasp he has of both the topographical and color problems," continued:

"When looked at as sketches these pictures by Mr. Nesmith are decidedly interesting and reveal a fine nature—one especially sensitive to the color brilliancy of light and the refinements of color in shadow; also to the relations which the sky ever bears to the landscape. These are really vivid tones; true in all color relations; and evidently the work of an artist who deeply loved the work he was doing. There is also that very necessary feeling of speed in this work which shows two things: the capacity to do the thing as it was seen and felt, and the ability to do it at the moment."

The paintings are finely framed by Hermann Dudley Murphy, the artist.

The exhibition will continue for two weeks.

10TH ANNIVERSARY

TO BE OBSERVED BY THE C. Y. M. L.

The members of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum are planning a celebration for May 9, to observe the 10th anniversary of the organization. The affair will consist of a banquet and a suitable program will be arranged.

At the last meeting of the lyceum a committee was also appointed to observe April 19 and also to act with the athletic committee in arranging for a marathon race to be held May 30. The secretary was instructed to send a letter of appreciation to John W. McEvoy, Esq., for his talk before the members on the evening of March 17. A feature of this last meeting was a lecture on "Culture," by Clarence Lang of West Point.

Charles Flynn was chosen floor director for the entertainment and dance to be held May 2.

RIVERLOOK CLUB

HELD COSTUME PARTY AT THE Y. W. C. A.

The Riverlook club gave a fine costume party in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium last night. The affair was attended by a large crowd and about 75 took part in the grand march.

The costumes were very picturesque and attracted considerable attention. There was a relay hoop race by the clowns, a game of "three deep," which was much disturbed by the antics of the clowns and the earnest efforts of the policeman to restore order.

A short program followed, consisting of two piano solos by Gertrude Merrill, a recitation by Alice Clavin, a dance by Leslie Wing and Mrs. Vida Walker. At the close, the prizes were awarded to the best groups; first, "Night and Morning," and second, the baby, nurse and policeman.

Then followed "Swanee River," rendered by the "Humaniphone," a remarkable instrument with human man faces for notes; this was directed by a graceful brown-tail moth, who was not at all disturbed when a note failed to sound, or produced a laugh instead; and this closed the gala evening, voted by all the "best ever."

Putnam & Son Co.

166 Central Street.

New Shirts

FOR SPRING

The whole spring display is ready; handsomer than ever, dainty colors, new designs.

Star Negligee, Coat Shirts—with plain or plaited fronts, beautifully finished and perfect fitting. Every pattern centered on the bosom, every pattern matched, outside and inside the cuffs. Spring stars are ready,

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$1.00 Negligee, Coat Style—far better shirts than you'll find for $1.00 elsewhere. Every shirt in the stock new, in designs and colorings, excellent madras material and capitally made $1.00

Negligee Shirts—with collars of the same material to match shirt, two high band collars with each shirt, spic-span new,

$1.50

Soft Shirts Solsette—in white, cream or tan, with collars, or without collars and with French cuffs,

$1.00 and $1.50

Soft Collars—for men and boy, selling like hot cakes,

2 for 25c

Soft Collars—for man and boy with four-in-hand scarf to match the collar and tie,

25c

Madras and Cheviot Pajamas—were $1.00, now..... 69c

A few dozens to clear out our broken lots—first-rate material, cut full and roomy and carefully made, marked down to 69c

Have You Been In To the Hosiery Sale?

A clean sweep of fancy hose for men—imported lisle thread and fine cotton, in attractive designs. All the small lots from our lots of 25c and 50c fancy socks 17c

Solid Colors, Imported Hose 17c. We want to introduce you to the best hosiery value in America. Fine lisle thread stockings from Germany—made with double soles, double heels and double toes, gusseted feet insuring not only a perfect fit, but that the stocking will keep its shape. Actual value 35c a pair. Introductory price 17c

FLYNN ELECTED

Continued

on the 16th ballot. Mr. Flynn started out with 13 votes and wound up with the necessary 19.

The Joint Convention

It was 10.35 o'clock when Janitor Homer Turcotte, acting for the city messenger, announced the arrival of the board of aldermen in the councilmanic chamber and the joint convention was on with a full membership of both boards present. Chairman Gallagher read the order for the joint convention and, on motion of Councilman Gargan, seconded by Councilman Tracey, the body proceeded to the election of a city clerk with the following result:

Stephen Flynn, 9; P. F. Fitzgerald 6; Peter J. Brady, 4; Girard P. Dadman 17.

The lineup was as follows:

For Flynn—Aldermen Barrett, Flanagan, Rountree, Toupin, Gallagher; Councilmen Corbett, Crowley, Mahoney, Royal.

For Dadman—Achin, Allard, Berard, Bowers, Chadwick, Chapman, Cheney, Davis, Delaronde, Elliott, Fulton, Genest, Ranlett, C. B. Rogers, J. J. Rogers, Taylor, Whittet.

For Fitzgerald—Aldermen Burns, Jodoin, Connors, Daly; Councilmen Connor, Tracy.

For Brady—Brady, Coughlin, Donohoe, Gargan.

Aldermen Rountree moved that the convention proceed to the election of city treasurer, and the motion was seconded. Councilman Royal moved as an amendment that a ballot be taken for city treasurer after a ballot for city clerk. The chair ruled the amendment out of order.

Councilman Tracy moved to lay on the table the motion to ballot for a city treasurer, and this motion was entertained, but a vote showed it to be lost, 24 to 11.

The convention then proceeded to ballot for city treasurer with the following result:

Andrew G. Stiles, 33; Thos. J. Fitzgerald, 3.

The three votes for Mr. Fitzgerald was cast by Alderman Barrett, Councilmen Gargan and Royal.

Mr. Stiles was declared elected.

On motion of Alderman Flanagan it was voted to proceed to a second ballot for city clerk. The result was:

Girard P. Dadman, 17; Stephen Flynn, 13; P. F. Fitzgerald, 4; Peter J. Brady, 2.

On this ballot Aldermen Connors and Daly shifted to Flynn, and Councilmen Coughlin and Gargan from Brady to Flynn.

There being no choice, another ballot for city clerk was taken with the following result:

Dadman, 17; Flynn, 15; Fitzgerald, 1; Brady, 2.

On this ballot all of the aldermen except Jodoin voted for Flynn.

The chair announced no choice and a fourth ballot was taken, with this result:

Flynn, 18; Dadman, 17; Brady, 1. Councilman Brady's vote was the only democratic vote against Flynn on this ballot, but it was sufficient to save the present clerk. The lineup was as follows:

For Flynn—All of the aldermen; Councilmen Connor, Corbett, Coughlin, Crowley, Donohoe, Gargan, Mahoney, Royal, Tracy.

For Dadman—Achin, Allard, Berard, Bowers, Chadwick, Chapman, Cheney, Davis, Delaronde, Elliott, Fulton, Genest, Ranlett, the two Rogers, Taylor, Whittet.

For Brady—Brady.

A fifth ballot was taken, with the following result:

Dadman 17, Flynn 18, Brady 1.

The vote was exactly the same as that of the preceding ballot.

A motion to adjourn was defeated, as was a motion to dissolve the convention.

The convention took another ballot for city clerk, with this result: Dadman 17, Flynn 18, Brady 1. No choice.

Councilman Gargan arose on a question of privilege and made the statement that Peter J. Brady had abandoned his candidacy, and that Councilman Brady should understand this. He said Councilman Brady would vote indirectly for Mr. Dadman if he persisted in voting for Mr. Brady.

Another ballot was then taken, but without any change.

Ballot number eight was taken, and there was no change.

A ninth ballot was taken and the result remained unchanged.

The convention proceeded to a 10th ballot and there was still no choice.

Ballot No. 11 developed no change, and at 11.55, when a 12th ballot was proposed, Councilman Tracey moved that the city messenger send out for refreshments. The motion was declared out of order because of a motion to ballot having priority. The 12th ballot showed no change.

A motion at this point by Councilman Delaronde to dissolve was defeated, 19 to 17.

A 13th ballot was taken and the count still showed Dadman 17, Flynn 18, and Brady 1.

Councilman Tracy renewed his motion at this time (12.07) that the assistant city messenger be directed to send out for refreshments.

Councilman John Rogers moved that a yea and nay vote be taken. The count showed 33 against and there were no refreshments, much to the discomfiture of some of the hungry ones.

A 15th ballot was taken and there was still no change. Then a recess was taken and when the convention reconvened another ballot, the 16th, was in order when Brady shifted to Stephen Flynn and the latter was declared elected.

The convention was then dissolved.

The Board of Aldermen

The aldermen were called to order at 9.50 o'clock. The call for the special meeting was read by the chairman.

The report of the committee on appropriations, recommending the appropriation of $6000 for moth extermination, and desiring a talk with the state inspector of the work, and recommending the appropriation of $1000 from the general treasury fund for immediate use was read. The accompanying joint order to appropriate $1000 for the purpose aforesaid was read. Mr. Connors favored the order. Mr. Barrett spoke about a previous request he had made that the superintendent of moth extermination come before the city government and explain expenditures for the work.

Chairman Gallagher said Mr. Whittet would appear before the board of aldermen at the next regular meeting. The superintendent of state work would, he said, appear before the committee on appropriations at its next meeting. The order was then adopted.

The chairman appointed Messrs. Toupin and Rountree on the special committee to see about getting a playground in Little Canada.

Street petitions were referred to the committee on streets.

Notice of personal injury to Annie Miskella was ordered on file in the city clerk's office.

A joint communication from the mayor, concerning the payment for expenses of bridges in the city of Lowell, was read and referred to the city solicitor with instructions to appear in favor of the bill now pending.

A petition asking for a license to move a building from Gorham street to South Highland street, was read, petitioner being Andrew J. Donohoe. A hearing for April 18 was ordered.

An order asking for a hearing relative to a change in grade of Boston & Maine tracks on Jackson street, running into the coal shed of the Appleton mills was read. The date of April 18 being set for a hearing. The order was adopted.

The mayor's appointment of Henry F. Carr to be a member of the park commission for a term of five years was read and the appointment was confirmed.

At 10.15 o'clock a recess was taken, subject to a call of the chair. A half hour later the board came into session and voted to go into joint convention.

When the aldermen returned to their own chamber after the joint convention, Alderman Daly moved that a vote of thanks be extended City Clerk Dadman for his services as clerk to the board and for his very courteous treatment of the members at all times. The motion was passed unanimously.

The Common Council

President Elliott called to order at 10.30 o'clock after a delay of two and one-half hours spent in caucusing.

A joint communication from the park department was read and ordered on file. An order appropriating $1000 for moth extermination was adopted in concurrence.

Councilman Tracey moved that the question of electing a city solicitor be taken from the table. The motion was defeated. The order for a joint convention was read and unanimously adopted.

Photo by Marion

STEPHEN FLYNN.

ANDREW G. STILES,
City Treasurer.

Men's Spring Shoes

If you have any doubt, Sir, as to what sort of Shoes to wear this Spring, just step in and take a look at our handsome Spring lines, and set your mind at ease.

We've the Latest Word in Shoes of the Best Makes!

Button, Lace and Blucher style. Patent Colt and Gun Metal leathers. The new high toe and high arch effect.

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Then let us show you the season's new Oxfords.

Black or Tan leathers.

We'll assist you in getting your feet into a pair of Shoes that fit you perfectly, and then we'll guarantee you satisfaction until the finish.

O'Sullivan Bros. Co.
Foot Fitters Opp. City Hall

The Home Doctor

Cure for Coughs and Colds

One and one-half ounces Balm of Gilead buds, one pound bruised rock candy, one pint Duffy's pure malt whiskey. (We recommend Duffy's on account of its purity and known medicinal value.) Put aside with occasional stirring until the rock candy is dissolved, then strain. Dose: For adults, one tablespoonful every hour; if the condition is acute, every half hour; for children over ten, a teaspoonful every hour; for children under ten, ten drops every hour until decided relief is felt. These simple ingredients, known to every druggist, can easily be secured and readily mixed by any one. Dr. George I. Ross, Canton, Mass., says: "This is vastly superior to the stereotype Rock and Rye of Commerce and should be call 'Balm of Gilead.'"

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WHERE the labels on the Suits or Hats worn on the outside they would show a great majority for O'Donnell Dry Goods Co. It is time, now, madam, to select your new Suit or Hat for Easter. Right now the stocks in these departments are at the height of their completeness and although many women can step right into one of our suits and wear it without alterations or select a hat already trimmed to meet their approbation, should alterations be required or hat trimmed to order, it gives us plenty of time to do it satisfactorily. Quality and Style are the important features which have made our Suits and Hats the most celebrated among the women of Lowell today.

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Wooltex Suits of knickerbocker cloth, in brown, tan, black and gray; new straight high waist-line skirt and smart coat 27 inches long at $25.00 Each.

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Fine French serge Wooltex Suits in shades of gray, blue, tan, brown, black, sage and other lovely shades—the perfection of refinement. Skirts are new, straight pleated models and the coats are hand tailored with a touch of satin and braid for trimming. An exceptional value at $25,00 Each.

Wooltex Suits of diagonal serges, developed in black and charming new shades, as well as staple blues and browns. Serviceability and style are combined in the new straight skirts and nobby coats—exceptional value at the price, $25.00 Each.

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THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

THE POLICE BOARD

Suspends License of the Arlington Hotel

MEN FOUND ON PREMISES AFTER HOURS

Moody St, Dealers Charged With Selling to Minors—Big Grist of Minor Licenses Granted

Martin W. Halloran, licensee of the Arlington hotel, appeared before the board of police at the regular meeting last night and was given a hearing on charges alleging that he had violated the conditions of his innholder's license by allowing liquor to be served after 11 o'clock. The complaint, which was made by Supt. Redmond Welch, stated that sales of liquor had been made to divers persons on or about 12.20 o'clock Sunday morning, March 19th. Mr. Halloran appeared without counsel and entered a plea of not guilty. After a brief hearing the board took the matter under advisement. About 9.30 o'clock it was announced that the board had suspended Mr. Halloran's license from 11 o'clock p. m., Thursday, March 30, to Monday, April 10, at 6 a. m.

Sergt. Alexander Duncan was the first witness called and he testified that he, accompanied by Inspectors Fox and Grady, visited the Arlington hotel at about 12.15 o'clock Sunday morning, March 19th. He made his way to a small room at the end of the bar and there found eight men. One man was drinking when he entered the room and there were eight glasses on a shelf. Witness asked the clerk what explanation he had for the men being present and the latter said the men had been there since 11 o'clock and he had been trying to get them out of the place, but was unsuccessful.

Questioned by Commissioner Boulger, Sergt. Duncan said that Mr. Halloran was not present and in answer to a question put by Commissioner Mullaney, witness said he did not see any liquor served.

Inspector William H. Grady corroborated the testimony offered by Sergt. Duncan.

Mr. Halloran said that after taking the cash register, shortly after eleven o'clock that night, he retired. He said he had given orders to all of his clerks not to serve drinks after hours and that if any had been served there was no money in the register in the morning to show that any sales had been made. He had also given orders not to allow any except employes to remain on the premises after eleven o'clock.

The case was taken under advisement and subsequently the board announced the suspension of Mr. Halloran's license for a period of ten days.

Other Hearing Postponed

Laurent Grenon and Benjamin K. Kilpatrick, of the firm of Grenon & Co., common victuallers of the first class, doing business at 368-370 Moody street, appeared before the board on a complaint charging them with having sold liquor to minors. Robert J. Crowley, counsel for the respondents, asked for a continuance and it was finally agreed to hold the hearing on April 6.

Minor License

Minor licenses were granted as follows:

Express—Thomas Casey, rear of 105 Chapel st.; Thomas Conniff, 42 North st.; John Buckley, 82 Linden st.; Joseph S. Cote, 156 Colburn st.; George Michalopoulos, 367 Market st.; Michael Reynolds, 139 Chapel st.; Ernest N. Bartlett, Billerica Centre, (Two licenses); City Transfer Co., (Gilbert W. Hunt), 801 Stevens st.; John B. Clancy, 25 Floyd st.; Everett D. Smith, 228 Middlesex st.; Samuel B. Palmer, 394 Beacon st.; Anastasias Nicolaros, 487 Market st.; John Q. Adams, 249 Walker st.; Patrick Convery, 51 Bartlett st.; Thomas G. Little, 60 Barclay st.; Stanislaus D. Monarszynsky, 239 Lakeview ave.; Adelard Berard, (two licenses), 577 Middlesex st.

Job wagon—Frederick W. Hanson, (two licenses), 566 Dutton st.

To sell ice cream, etc.—Michael F. Hayes, 551 Gorham st.; Michel Katrina, 373 Market st.

Hawker and peddler—Morris Sokolsky, 18 Daly st.; Nathan Greenbaum, 104 Chelmsford st.; Adam Matyka, 15 Spring st.; Louis Eno, 5 Eagle court, off Middlesex st.; Ceylon A. Elwell, 138 Paige st.

Fish cart—Peter Currier, 377 Broadway; Henry Harris, (two licenses), 14 Church st.

Auctioneer—Charles F. Keyes, Green street.

Special police—Joseph N. Fulton, for and at the Merrimack Mfg. Co., without pay from the city.

This is Quarter Week at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

FAULT IS FOUND

With Conduct of State's Finances

BOSTON, March 29.—Fault is found with the conduct of the state's finances in a voluminous report issued last night by Expert Accountant Harvey S. Chase, recently appointed by Gov. Foss to investigate all state boards, departments and institutions.

Principal among Mr. Chase's criticisms are that no balance sheet is kept in the treasurer's office to show the current assets and liabilities; that the sinking funds are overstocked, thereby making the tax rate too high, and that there are slight errors in the computation of sinking funds.

Mr. Chase favors a state comptroller who shall have power over the financial departments of the state and shall keep a monthly summary of all financial operations and exhibit a monthly balance sheet. A more uniform system of accounting and simpler method of providing a sinking fund are also recommended.

Money deposited this week in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank begins to draw interest Saturday.

LADY'S HANDBAG found. Owner can have same by calling at 64 Bolsvert st. and proving property.

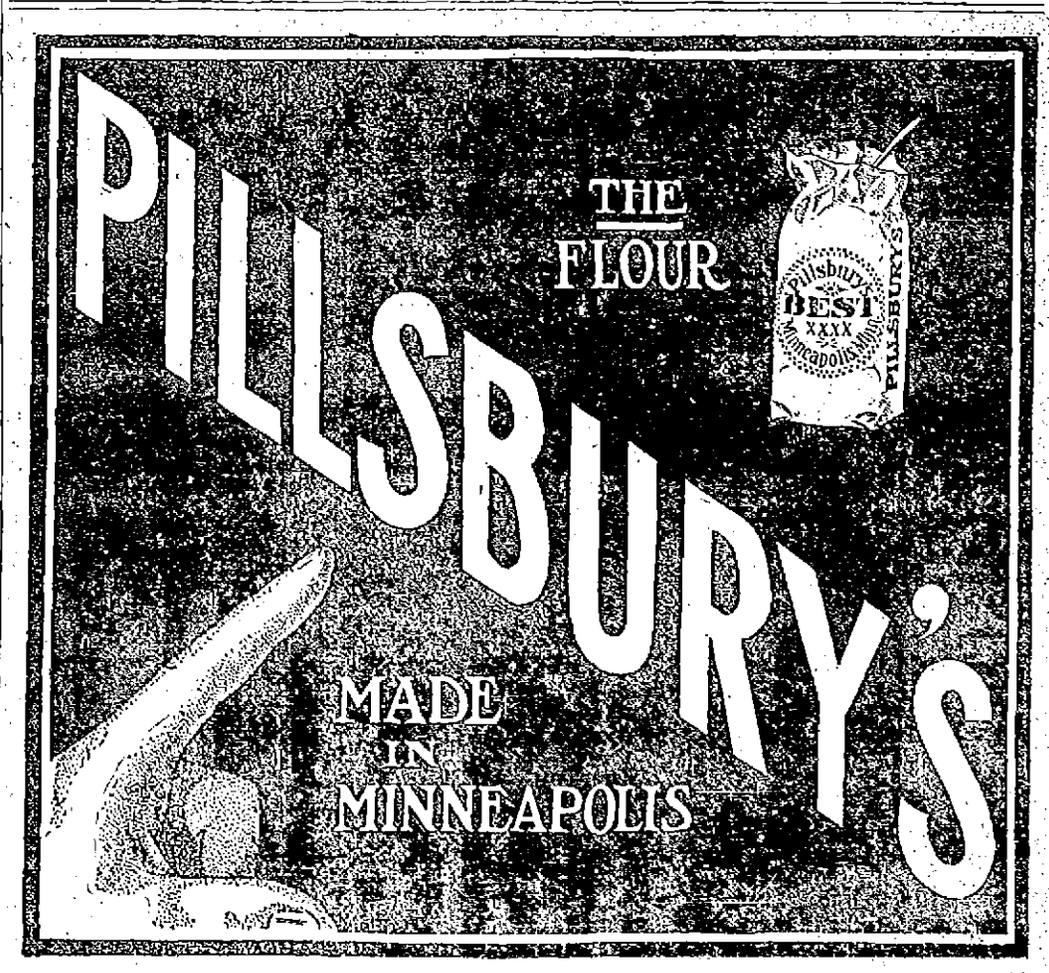
PASTOR CENSURED

BY COMMITTEE OF DIOCESAN SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

BOSTON, March 29.—Rev. William H. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, is censured in a report given out last night by the committee of the diocesan Sunday school union which investigated statements of Dr. Allen that one of the diocesan Sunday school teachers had denied the Virgin birth of the Saviour, as a result of which his church would withdraw its support from the union.

The report declares that the teacher referred to the Virgin birth as one of the articles of the creed which the church has declared as matters of faith but has not defined.

Rev. Dr. Allen says he stands by his original statement.



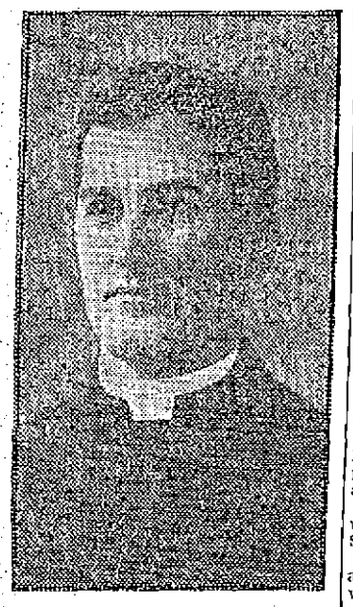
REV. FR. MULLIN

Royally Welcomed by People of St. Peter's

Popular Curate Returning After Five Months' Illness is Tendered a Reception and Presented a Substantial Purse of Money

"Back among the old folks once again," Rev. W. George Mullin, the popular curate at St. Peter's church who for the past five months has been absent from his clerical duties on account of serious illness returned to Lowell yesterday and received a welcome that warmed his heart.

During the 13 years of his assignment at St. Peter's, Fr. Mullin has



REV. W. GEORGE MULLIN.

taken a special interest in the Immaculate Conception sodality of which he is spiritual director, and it was this sodality that arranged the reception in his honor which was held in Lincoln hall. The sodality was represented by several hundred members while other parishioners, the clergy of St. Peter's and personal friends of Fr. Mullin from all over Lowell and some other close friends from Cambridge were present by special invitation from the sodality. Fr. Mullin arrived in town Saturday after a week spent in the Bermudas and hence the reception last evening.

The exercises were presided over by Miss Mary G. Quinn, president of the Immaculate Conception sodality and seated with her on the platform besides the recipient of the evening's honors were Rev. Dr. Kelcher, Rev. D. J. Hefernan, Rev. John F. Burns, Rev. John T. O'Brien, Miss Lulu Ginty, chairman of the committee on arrangements, and Prof. Hugh Molloy of the state normal school.

The exercises opened with an overture by the Festival Ladies' orchestra, followed by the selections "Rag Tag" March (Williams) and "Onion Rag" (Weldt) by St. Peter's banjo, mandolin and guitar club, 42 members, under the direction of William P. Hovey. At this point the audience upon request arose and sang "Auld Lang Syne." Next Mr. James Coughlin gave a recitation which was well received. This was followed by a song by Miss Katherine Mullin; reading, Miss Ruth Kirby; song, Miss Mae Whiteley.

Presented Purse

Prof. Molloy was then introduced and after expressing with characteristic eloquence the affection felt by the people of St. Peter's parish for their curate, he presented Fr. Mullin a substantial purse of money as a token of their love and esteem and an earnest of their good wishes for his future health and happiness.

Fr. Mullin was visibly moved but he succeeded in composing himself sufficiently to reply in a graceful manner, expressing his profound gratitude and appreciation of this mark of friendship.

Rev. Dr. Kelcher then spoke briefly after which the musical program was resumed as follows: Violin solo, Miss Ethel Sharrow; song, James E. Donnelly; song, Miss Ruth Halpin; reading, Miss Alice Gilligan, and "Te Deum" by the audience. The accompanists were Misses Marietta Gormley and Kathryne Cooney.

The song rendered by Miss Halpin was composed by Rev. Fr. Harkins of St. Margaret's parish.

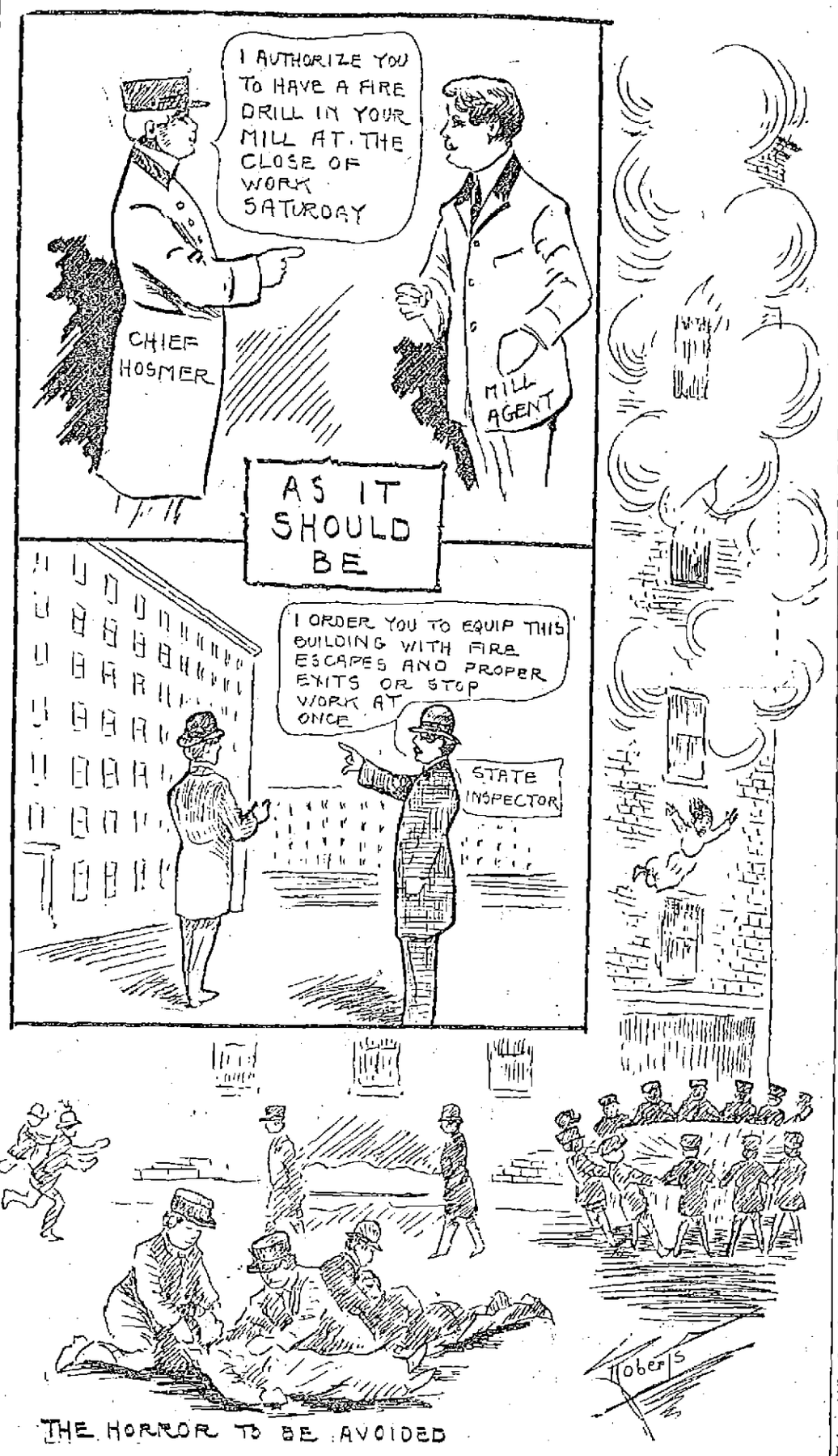
Little Miss Alice Gilligan won great applause as she mounted the stage with a basket of red carnations as high as herself and in fitting words presented them to Fr. Mullin. This was the gift of the children of Mary.

The committee of arrangements consisted of the following named: Miss Lulu Ginty, chairman; Marietta Gormley, Katherine Mullin, Margaret Ryan, Mary Riley, Mary Quinn, Josephine Hayes, Mary Flanagan.

Assistants: Minnie Roark, Delia Daley, Katherine O'Connell, Minnie Bushnell, Gertrude McQuade, Mary Tobin, Mary Green, Marietta Carroll, Mary Morris, Mary James, Mollie Donohoe.

The officers of the sodality are: Miss Mary G. Quinn, president; Miss Catherine Tobin, first assistant; Miss Mary O'Rourke, second assistant; Miss Josephine Barrett, secretary; Miss Mary Flanagan, treasurer.

Miss Gilligan, who presented the basket of carnations to Fr. Mullin is a remarkably bright little girl and her presentation remarks delighted the audience and were especially pleasing to Fr. Mullin.



THERE SHOULD BE NO POSSIBILITY OF A DUPLICATION OF THE NEW YORK FIRE HORROR IN LOWELL

MEXICAN REBELS

Suffered a Decisive Defeat Near Ures on Monday

AGUA PRIETA, Mexico, March 29.—Messages from Governor Torres over federal wires to Agua Prieta and messages to the rebel junta here show that the rebels suffered a decisive defeat near Ures Monday. The rebel losses are placed at 75 dead and many wounded. The messages to the rebel junta place the number of federal dead at 30.

The rebels a few days ago ceased cutting telegraph wires and instead tapped the wires and caught federal messages. It is believed that the federal government sent decoy messages which misled the rebels. Rebels at San Rafael, near Ures, were joined by Giron and a force, for Sahuaripa and the combined force took up quarters in the old federal barracks.

Col. Ojeda, who had collected forces from Hermosillo had obtained information that the rebels were at San Rafael. Before approaching the town he divided his force into two wings, which closed in on the old barracks.

Captain Baron of the Sonora rurales formed part of the advancing column, mounted, and this force almost succeeded in cutting off the rebel retreat.

PROPOSALS MADE

LOOKING TO ESTABLISHING PEACE IN MEXICO

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 29.—Recent happenings in connection with Mexican affairs were largely explained yesterday in interviews with Francisco I. Madero, Sr., and Gustavo Madero.

Tentative peace proposals have been made, and on the administration side have been acted on. In the view of Don Francisco, peace is assured; if not within 10 days, then at the farthest within a month.

President Diaz, it is reported, will insist in a message to the Mexican congress that peace be concluded.

On the vital point of why they were so certain that the tentative arrangement would within a short time result in a sealed compact of peace, father and son were silent. They answered freely every other question.

When the elder Madero and Limantour met recently the very meeting was denied. Yesterday it was admitted that the interview concerned peace alone.

Limantour agreed to obtain every concession possible from the government to make possible formal negotiations for peace. Don Francisco, the elder, promised likewise.

Limantour moved first. The resignation of the aged Diaz cabinet followed his first interview with President Diaz.

"With only the resignation of the cabinet as an evidence of good faith, would you trust yourself on Mexican soil to discuss peace?" Don Gustavo Madero was asked today.

"Well, scarcely," smiled the latter.

On this point nothing more definite was obtainable, but the inference was left that San Antonio is destined to be, in a less important way, another Portsmouth.

President Diaz, it was said, will retire with all the honors due his distinguished services. Senor Limantour was firm on this point as the basis of preliminary negotiations.

The basic concessions, which it is believed, will be ratified later, include the resignation of Diaz and holding of an election where the suffrage shall be unconstrained and free. This arrangement includes the elimination of Vice-President Corral, a sick man, than whom it is said there is probably no more unpopular man in Mexico. Limantour, minister of finance, or De La Barra, the new foreign minister pro tempore, will exercise the functions of his office. Diaz, according to the program, will remain in office with his new and somewhat unsatisfactory cabinet about him, until the country is at rest. When factory wheels are again turning and railroad trains running without fear of wreck at destroyed bridges, the "iron man" will step down and out, it is believed. Limantour or De LaBarra will then become acting president and within 60 days will call an election.

"Will you feel that a greater guarantee of the sanctity of the ballot other than the assurance of the administration is necessary, or do you wish the United States should man the polls?" Don Gustavo was asked.

"Emphatically, the intervention of the United States has not been asked, nor do we consider it necessary," was the reply. "Mexico can and will work out her own destiny."

"Do you know why American troops are mobilized on the border, then?"

"Certainly; Mr. Taft has said "maneuvers' and no doubt that is the only reason."

The fundamental demands of the revolutionists include the following:

Reiteration legally of the re-electionist clause in the constitution, prohibiting more than one term for president.

Obnoxious governors of states, appointed by Diaz against the wishes of the citizens of the states affected, to be deposed.

Universal education at the cost of the state, especially for the peasant or peon class.

Despite evasions in the interviews, which were given with every courtesy, between every line it was apparent that the mobilization of the American troops had played the major part in bringing the two sides in Mexico together. In Mexico there is no one except foreigners who can see any catastrophe greater than intervention by the United States.

Don Gustavo explained that on the insurrecto side forces will disperse during the expected peace negotiations, but they will not drop their arms. Technically the government's refusal to treat with an armed force still stands good; and the force will scatter, but still have rifles and ammunition. As every man is mounted they can remobilize within a week.

PEARY A REAR ADMIRAL

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Commander Robert Peary was today commissioned a civil engineer with the rank of rear admiral, in accordance with the act of congress, passed at the last session. The appointment is to date from April 6, 1909, the day he reached the North pole.

HELD IN $7000

CRANSTON, R. I., March 29.—James D. Lloyd, superintendent and general manager of the Shawmut Finishing Co., pleaded not guilty to two charges of larceny in the district court today, waived examination and was held for the grand jury. Bail was reduced from $10,000 to $7000, which was furnished.

HOUSING PROBLEM

Taken Up by the Local Board of Trade

The question of solving the housing problem in Lowell has been taken up by the committee on public health of the board of trade and a sub-committee has been appointed to draft a tentative plan for a satisfactory housing proposition in this city. The committee on public health consists of Cyrus A. Durgin, chairman; Dr. G. Forrest Martin, Dr. J. B. Field, Building Inspector James Dow, Rev. George F. Kenngott, James F. Owens, Park Commissioner Thalles P. Hall, and Arthur L. Gray.

In connection with this commendable movement at the First Trinitarian Congregational church next Sunday at 4.30 o'clock a lecture will be given by Edward T. Hartman of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts Civic league on the Housing Problem, to which the members of the board of trade are especially invited. Mr. Hartman has made a special study of this problem and his talk will be of greatest interest.

NO CHOICE FOR SENATOR

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—There was no choice for United States senator at today's joint ballot. The democratic caucus will reconvene tonight in an attempt to name a compromise candidate.

FOR DEFENSE OF CAMORRISTS

CHICAGO, March 29.—Chicago Italians, under threats of death, have contributed $100,000 or more, it is believed, for the defense of Luigi Arena and his brother comorrists on trial in Viterbo, Italy, according to the Tribune. This information, given by a resident of Little Sicily, in part was verified by a reference to records of the postoffice and of banks through which the money has been sent to Italy.

Coincident with the statement that blood money had been wrung from the Italians of Chicago it was learned that secret service men seek a supposed Chicago agent of the camorra who for three months collected funds in the Italian colony.

MAN WAS DESPONDENT

BENNINGTON, Vt., March 29.—In his determination to end his life, John Waite, a mill operative, shot himself twice with a shotgun and then with a stroke of a razor cut his throat last night. The man had recently lost his place in a local mill and is believed to have been despondent over his enforced idleness. Waite was found dying late last night by his 13-year-old son, who was returning from the theatre. The boy rushed immediately for medical assistance and the doctors arrived a moment or two before Waite died.

Investigation showed that Waite had held the muzzle of the gun against his breast but the weapon was so long that he could not hold it at right angles to the body and the two shots that were fired entered his breast obliquely. The man then managed to crawl to a bureau where he took his razor and slashed his throat.

BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

BOSTON, March 29.—A resolve providing for an unpaid commission to investigate and report on the best method of cooperating with the federal authorities in the establishment of inland waterways along the Atlantic coast was signed today by Gov. Foss. The committee will report to the legislature on May 1.

Gov. Foss also signed a bill today which permits savings banks to establish branch offices in school buildings.

SHAW TRUSTEES

Paid the Taxes Under Protest

BOSTON, March 29.—The Boston assessors yesterday refused to abate the taxes on the Quincy A. Shaw estate for 1910, and in the afternoon the trustees of the estate deposited in payment a check for $166,176.43 under protest.

The assessors issued the following statement:

"By giving trustees Quincy A. Shaw, Robert F. Herrick and Francis C. Welch of the Quincy A. Shaw estate 'leave to withdraw,' the board of assessors today refused to make an abatement of $274,842.68, the tax on $16,758,700, which was levied upon them as executors for 1910.

"This action is taken for the purpose of allowing the trustees to pay that amount into the city treasury under protest, and then to begin their action before the supreme court for a ruling whether the trustee managers of the estate were officiating on April 1 as executors or trustees.

"At the same time that the trustees filed a petition for the abatement of the tax of $137,263.08 which was levied upon them as trustees in the December warrant, on a tax of $8,368,700. The assessors have not taken action on the latter petition, it being necessary to await the decision of the supreme court in the other action.

"If the supreme court rules in favor of the city of Boston, it will be entitled to the entire amount of the bigger tax. If it is adverse, the city will then get the tax levied on the trustees, and the difference between that and the tax on the executors will be divided between Brookline, Beverly and Milton."

The payment of yesterday was in addition to the $115,000 paid under protest on January 21, the two payments aggregating the full amount levied by the assessors. Yesterday's check covered the payment of taxes divided as follows: Assessed valuation, $159,116.16, interest, $6327.18 taxes on December warrant $726.50, interest and costs $5.57, making a total of $166,176.43.

HIS NOSE INJURED

Elmer Penn fell off a load of hay in upper Dutton street about 11.30 o'clock this morning and suffered an injury to his nose. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to his home, 3 Penn avenue.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

SOCIAL SESSION

Local Elks Held Forth Last Evening

Manager Carroll of the Merrimack Square theatre, rode the goat in the Elks last evening at their regular initiation and at last reports was doing nicely. After the initiation one of the celebrated social sessions was held at which there was a wealth of talent, including many professionals from the local theatre and the Elks' own talent which is numerous and first class. A feature of the social entertainment was a program by Prof. Nicholas Petropolous, of Athens, Greece, a friend of the king of that country and an artist who has performed in private audiences before the crowned heads of Europe. Prof. Petropolous performs on the mandolin and mandola, the latter being an instrument of his own invention which is attracting the attention of the musical world.

The mandola on which the professor gave his program last evening, is valued at $3000. It is made of tortoise-shell, gold and silver and its tone is most captivating. The professor demonstrated the possibilities of his instrument by reeling off grand opera after grand opera to the huge delight of the many musical critics in the audience. Next Sunday evening, Prof. Petropolous will give a concert for his fellow-countrymen and the public at large, in Associate hall. While in Lowell he is the guest of George Couzoules, former Greek consul.

DARING ROBBER

THROWN OUT OF HOUSE BY A WOMAN

PROVIDENCE, March 29.—Mrs. Beatrice Sharpe of 285 Dudley street ousted a strong-arm daylight robber from her library yesterday. She had been out to a tea and returning home was surprised to walk in upon the intruder sitting at her private writing desk.

"What are you doing here?" she demanded, as she started to seize the stranger.

"How did I get here?" queried the housebreaker in return, who kept on jotting down a list of articles, which later proved to be a memorandum of effects he evidently intended to carry away.

Before the robber could face about and attack Mrs. Sharpe she seized him and getting a hold on his coat collar and another on his arm, police fashion, she hurled him out of the house and off the doorstep into the roadway.

The house had been thoroughly looked over, after entrance had been gained with a jimmy through a sitting room window.

The police have an excellent description of the crook.

TANK EXPLODED

Men Narrowly Escaped Serious Injury

BOSTON, March 29.—Three men riding in an automobile on Clarke road in Brookline late yesterday afternoon had a narrow escape from serious injury when a 22-gallon gasoline tank on the rear of the machine exploded, setting the car afire.

In the automobile were Pelig H. Inglis of Dartmouth street, city, chauffeur for Neil F. Doherty, a Cambridge street merchant, owner of the car; Joseph R. Downey of 113 Main street, Charlestown, draw tender at the Charlestown bridge, and a young man unknown to the other two, who had asked for a ride over from Dorchester.

Mr. Downey's eyelashes, mustache and hair was singed and he suffered burns on the face. He was in the rear seat and the concussion threw him over into the lap of the man riding with Inglis. Downey was taken to a hospital.

The explosion was heard half a mile. Inglis applied his brake and jumped. Mr. Downey and the third man found difficulty in escaping from the blazing car.

One of the party sounded a fire alarm from box 151. The blazing gasoline ignited the stubble of a grass plot beside the roadway.

The large tank was burst in two and ripped almost to pieces. A heavy trunk rack was blown 25 feet away. The rear lamp and registry number were also blown some distance. The rear of the car was blown into the air.

Mr. Doherty figures that his loss will amount to between $500 and $600.

N. E. CONFERENCE

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., March 29.—Formal organization of the 71st annual session of the New England southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which is meeting at the South church here, was effected this morning and the conference settled down to the transaction of the business which has called it together. Preceding the meeting for organization holy communion was administered and during the latter part of the morning a memorial service was held. This evening the five hundred clerical members and lay delegates and their friends will be welcomed to the town by Horace B. Cheney, chairman of the board of selectmen, Bishop Earl Cranston, the presiding officer of the conference, responding. Later in the evening the anniversary of the board of conference claimants will be held with an address by Rev. Dr. Clemens.

HOBBLE SKIRTS

Severely Criticized by Rev. Fr. Stanton, O. P.

At Women's Mission in Immaculate Conception Church—Large Congregation of Men at St. Margaret's Mission

The hobble and harem skirts came in for criticism at the mission for women at the Immaculate Conception church, last evening when Rev. Fr. Stanton, O. P., preaching on the subject of Scandal, referred to the extremes to which some women go through pride and a love of fashion. He stated that no woman of refinement or education take up these extreme styles and his remarks made a deep impression. Speaking on the subject of scandal Fr. Stanton in plain language dwelt at length upon the feminine weakness of gossiping and impressed upon his hearers that the fact that the stories they circulated were true was no excuse for giving scandal. For the benefit of the young people Fr. Stanton spoke strongly on the tendency of many to forget that they are subject to their parents during their youth and deplored the lack of respect and obedience which the young people of the present generation show their parents. Fr. Stanton urged all to go to confession early and not put off this important duty until the 11th hour. He stated that no confessions will be heard on Saturday night after eight o'clock.

At St. Margaret's

The great crowd of men attending the mission at St. Margaret's parish is most gratifying to the pastor and the missionaries for it includes practically every male resident of the parish. Last evening Rev. Fr. Hubert gave a powerful sermon on the sins of impurity.

TO HAVE FIRE ESCAPES

LYNN, March 29.—Spurred to action by the numerous accidents in the Asch building fire in New York on Saturday, the municipal council of this city today appropriated, under the emergency clause of the new city charter, $10,000 to be used in the equipment of school buildings with fire escapes.

$7,000,000 LOSS

Continued

cost a great sum and was one of the show sights of the capitol.

On the fourth floor in the west wing, the wrecked offices are:

The court of claims in which many important legal documents were on file.

The bill drafting department.

The bureau of weights and measures.

The state regent's room.

The state prison commission.

The state educational department, containing many valuable books of scientific and historical interest.

On the second floor the damaged rooms are:

The attorney general's office.

The state excise department, probably swept by flames.

On the first floor the damaged departments include:

The offices of the state treasurer and state tax commissioner.

The state board of charities and the state commission of lunacy.

The lower office of the state educational department.

Practically all the offices below the third floor, including the executive chamber, were damaged by smoke and water.

The departments whih escaped the ravages of the fire and the deluge of water include:

The court of appeals.

Secretary of state's offices.

Department of public works.

The state superintendent of prisons' offices.

The state civil service commission.

The forest, fish and game department.

The restaurant, telegraph offices and press bureaus along the "midway." The third floor also escaped damage.

Men Reported Missing

While the fire was at its height four men were reported missing. One of them, Samuel Abbott later turned up in the huge crowd that gathered to watch the millions of the state go up in flames and smoke.

Gov. Dix on Scene

Governor Dix was aroused shortly after 4 o'clock and remained in close touch with the firemen until the fire was declared to be under control. Practically all the state officials and many of the city officers were also on the ground.

State Architect Ware said he could give no idea of the total loss until after the flames were extinguished nor could he venture to hazard as to what the total loss may be.

The firemen had many narrow escapes. Several parties of them were trapped by flames in the corridors and rooms, but got safely out. Chief Bridgeford and a squad came near being hit when a large section of the western cornice crashed down with a part of the roof and upper walls. Several firemen were overcome by smoke and many were made so ill they had to seek fresh air.

Discovered By Clerk

The fire was discovered by a clerk who had been working at the station house early into the morning hours.

Running out into the corridor the clerk summoned a night watchman and with the assistance of two newspaper men efforts were made to put out the fire which probably could have been extinguished had a fire extinguisher or a bucket of water been available. As these were not at hand the flames spread until the room with its inflammable furnishings and paper was all ablaze.

It was some time before the firemen arrived and before they could get streams playing the flames were racing toward the state library.

The grand western staircase, which was regarded as one of the most beautiful in the world, occupied the center of the western wing and consisted of an immense double stairway of corsehill sandstone, elaborately carved. It was surmounted by a glazed dome, which soon fell.

The stairway was commenced in March 15, 1884, and took five and a half years to build.

State Commissioner of Education Draper stated today that the state library contained 600,000 volumes, 400,000 pamphlets and 300,000 historical manuscripts. Two years ago Commissioner Draper transferred from the state library proper to the safe in his office on the first floor the original emancipation proclamation, the original of Washington's farewell address, the original manuscripts of the state constitution and fifteen or twenty of the other priceless manuscripts as well as all of the Washington relics. These have all been removed from the building to a place of safety since the fire started.

Commissioner Draper said that most of the manuscripts lost were original documents and cannot be replaced. The early Dutch records were lost. Of the books on the state library shelves which can be duplicated in the open market today, such duplication would cost, according to Commissioner Draper, $1,500,000 but he says the value of the other books and manuscripts lost, because of their being rarities, is priceless. Commissioner Draper estimated that the loss of documents and equipment of the state library which could be replaced was in the neighborhood of $2,000,000.

He has arranged to carry on the work of his department in the state normal school, which is under his control, and notified his 300 employes to report for duty at 9 o'clock this morning as usual.

Samuel Abbott, a night watchman, is believed to have met death beneath a pile of debris on the ground floor of the building. He cannot be found.

Starting afresh in the northwest angle, the fire got away from the firemen shortly before 10 o'clock. After several firefighters had been knocked unconscious by falling debris, the firemen were cautious about penetrating beneath the shattered arches in the west wing.

A huge chimney that was considered unsafe also kept them at bay and this permitted the flames to gain renewed headway. Great pillars of dense smoke curled from the peaks of both the northwest and southwest angles and spits of bluish haze spouted from the windows on the north side opening from the garret.

Fireman Bennett was overcome in the southwest angle and removed in one of the many ambulances kept ready for emergency. Gov. Dix was on hand before 10 o'clock and took personal direction of the salvage effects in the offices still untouched. It was decided to remove all the precious books and records in storage, the firemen being unable to tell whether or not they could keep the blaze under control.

The assembly chamber is a wreck.

Streams of water are coursing over the rich Axminster carpets while the desks and chairs are piled in confusion, water dripping from the ceiling and every article in the chamber. In the center of the forum lies the large brass chandelier, weighing many hundred pounds. It is hopelessly smashed.

Wreck, ruin and confusion abound on every hand in the north wing. The walls and ceilings are stripped of their ornate porcelain blocks, the arches rising gaunt and bare with steel rafters stretched across them.

Doors have been smashed in, brownstone arches have crumbled and the devastation is enhanced by the dripping ceilings and rivulets coursing over the floor and down the stairways.

At the homeopathic hospital three firemen are under medical attention. Other firemen were injured by falling debris but returned to work after having their wounds attended to by first aid methods.

General Verbeck tendered the aid of the guardsmen in policing the fire lines. In every portion of the west wing the rooms are a hopeless wreck. Desks have been ripped open, drowers forced and their contents strewn about and doors smashed to splinters by the battering axes of the fire-fighters. The latter were handicapped from the start by their ignorance of the many devious turns and passages and blind corridors of the capitol.

Both houses met at the city hall during the forenoon in response to a call by Gov. Dix. It is expected that the legislature will take up a rigid probing. A push button was put out of commission by a watchman yesterday and not repaired during the day. This button is held responsible for the conflagration and an official investigation is to result.

Military supervision approaching martial law was established early in the forenoon. So strict were the guardsmen that occasional state officers were held up until they could be identified.

Determined to drown out the fire at any cost, the firemen brought every possible line of hose to bear on the west wing shortly after ten o'clock and in 15 minutes had driven back the flames. Before an hour has passed they had been so thoroughly quenched that it was possible to get within striking distance of the smouldering heaps in the northwest and southwest angles. Conflicting reports as to the whereabouts of Samuel Abbott aroused anxiety about the building during the forenoon hours. The firemen had found no trace of his body in the debris but a report that he had been located alive was declared untrue.

Governor Dix questioned State Architect Ware and Fire Chief Bridgewood as to the safety of the capitol. The governor feared that it had been so badly damaged that all parts were unsafe. All of the conferes refused an opinion on the matter before they had discussed it.

Speaking of the fire, Governor Dix said:

"It is an appalling disaster. I consider the destruction of the state library a national loss. Fortunately the copies of Abraham Lincoln's emancipation proclamation and General Washington's farewell address were removed not long ago from the library to the safe in Commissioner Draper's office."

Weyler, Bein, and the document room attache who were reported missing, were accounted for before noon, but it could not be definitely ascertained as to whether or not Abbott had been located.

State Architect Ware announced that the loss at a rough estimate would be $5,000,000 exclusive of the valuable records in the state library which never can be replaced.

The firemen considered the senate and assembly chambers practically intact, with the exception of slight fire and water damage, but Mr. Were advises against their use until they have been tested. It was decided that Adjutant General Verbeck and Police Chief Hyatt should have charge of the policing arrangements and that no one should be admitted without a pass.

The building was placed under martial law and the notes of bugles resounded through the corridors, so lately blocked by smoke and swept by flame.

Electricians about the capitol scouted the idea that defective wiring had started the blaze. They blamed it on a carelessly thrown cigar and it was asserted that the desk of a clerk and the bookcase near it were observed to be on fire when the flames were first discovered.

So far as can be ascertained there is no insurance on the capitol or its contents. There had been, for a year or two, an insurance of $100,000 on the executive mansion, in which a fire recently occurred.

It is said to be the state's policy not to insure its property.

When the smoke cleared from the west corridor there was revealed the ruined grand staircase with its bas reliefs and sculptured masterpieces hacked and chipped into an unrecognizable condition. The steps and floor were strewn kneedeep with the powdered remnants of the walls and ceilings, while works of art that had aroused the admiration of thousands were reduced to mere junk. The massive chandeliers lay about the halls in fractured angles and gaunt girders stared forth from the thinning haze in mute testimony of the devastating power that had swept over them.

Features of noted soldiers, scientists, artists, poets, scholars and statesmen were battered into smoke-stained ruins.

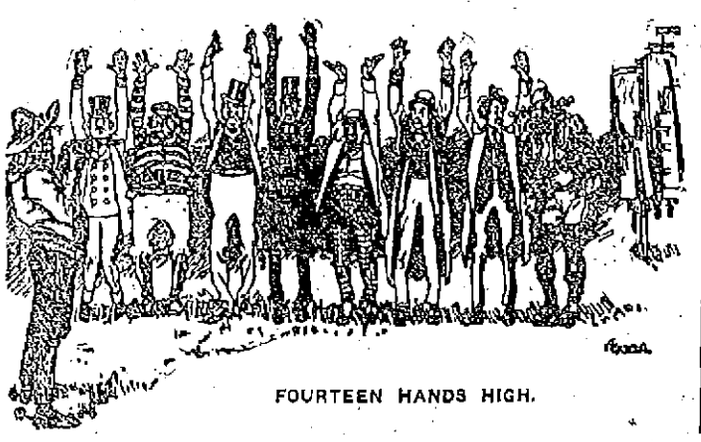
A GRAND STRUCTURE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 29.—Perched on the highest of the several hills upon which the city of Albany is built, stands the capitol, a gigantic structure of white granite, with red-capped towers. It is 300 feet north and south, 400 feet east and west and covers three acres. The first stone in the foundation was laid July 7, 1869, and on June 1, 1871, the corner stone was laid by the grand lodge of free and accepted Masons.

The capitol was first occupied by the legislature on Jan. 7, 1879, the formal occupation taking place on the 12th of the following month.

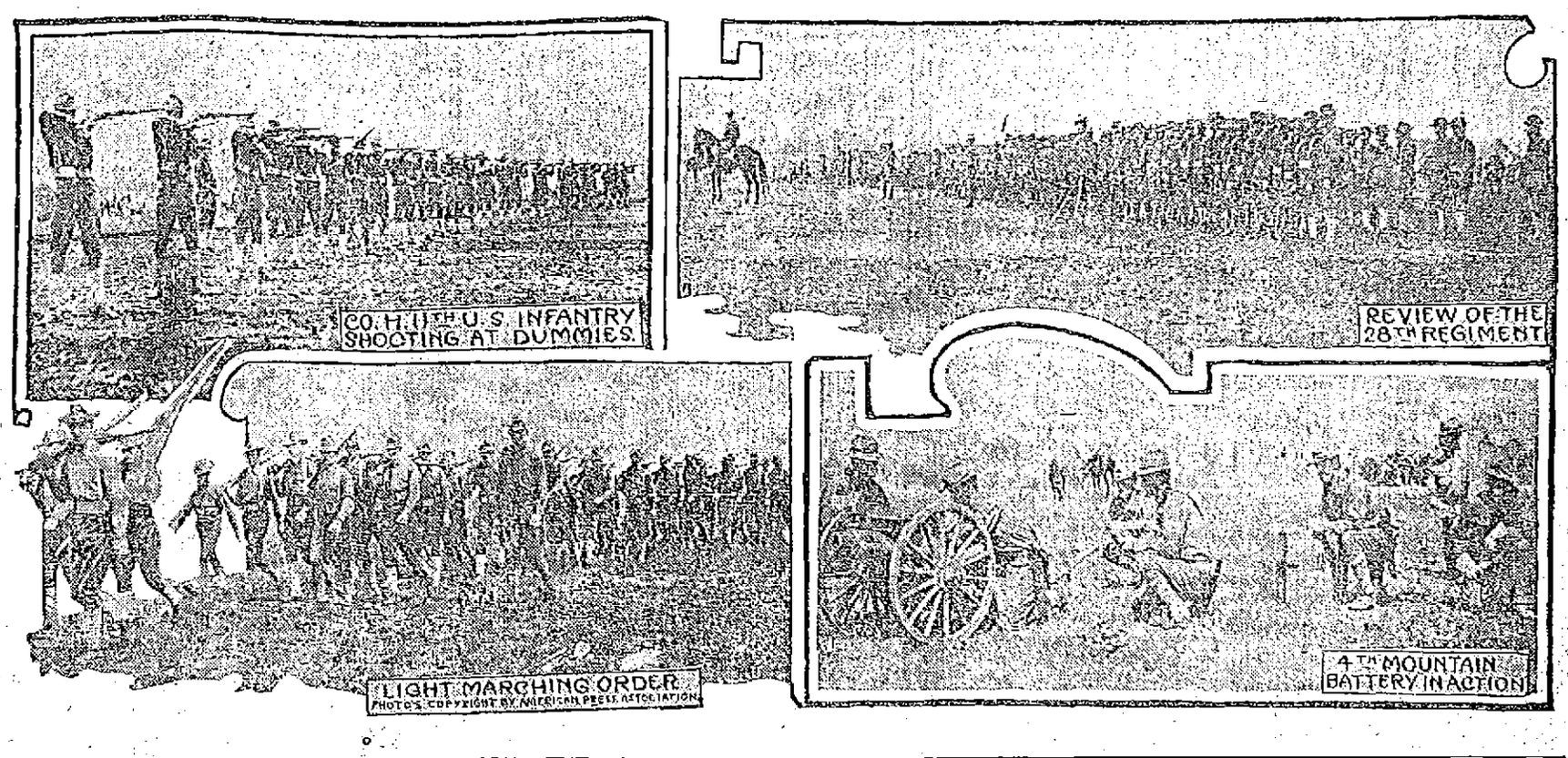
Some writers upon architecture say that the white granite capitol with its towers reminds them of the famous Tag Mahal in India. Others think it is a superb reflection of French architecture.

HORSE TERMS.



FOURTEEN HANDS HIGH.

UNITED STATES INFANTRY AND LIGHT ARTILLERY IN "WAR GAME" MANEUVERS AT FORT SAM HOUSTON



FLYNN ELECTED

He Succeeds Girard P. Dadman as City Clerk

The much talked of and long sought after joint convention of the city council was held last night and was not dissolved until the hands on the steeple clocks were moving on to the first hour of the morning. The councilmen were voting while the graveyards were yawning and they reminded one of Goldsmith's dancers in "The Deserted Village":

"The dancing pair that simply sought renown
By holding out to tire each other down."

A little paraphrasing suited the lines to the councilmen who were "holding out to tire each other down." Councilman John J. Brady was a hard one to tire down and didn't get 'round to the other fellows' way of thinking until the sixteenth ballot was ushered in, and then he cast the deciding vote in the election of Stephen Flynn to succeed Girard P. Dadman as city clerk. The final ballot stood 19 for Mr. Flynn to 17 for Mr. Dadman.

Andrew G. Stiles was re-elected city treasurer and collector of taxes on the first ballot. His path was strewn with roses but there were thistles in Dadman's way and he went down and out after a period of about 20 years in office.

He had the 17 republicans with him from the start and for several ballots only one man stood between Stephen Flynn and his election. That man was Councilman John J. Brady. He voted for Peter J. Brady on 15 consecutive ballots although it had been announced in the chamber that Peter J. Brady was no longer a candidate. There were motions to adjourn but they didn't go and the democrats who were voting for Mr. Flynn called for ballot after ballot and quite cheerfully admitted that they intended to stay until Councilman Brady decided to vote for Mr. Flynn, and this the councilman did

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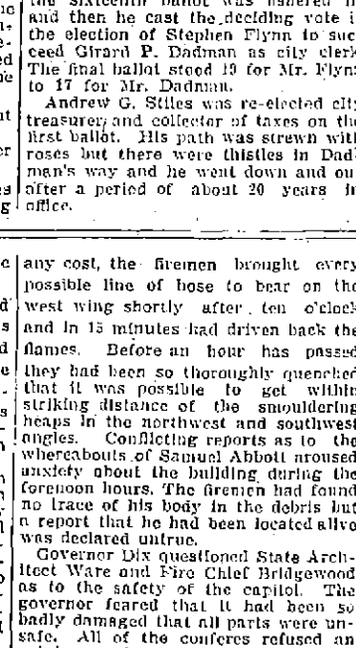


AN APRIL FOOL WATERLOO.

Broker (nonchalantly removing brick and kicking the hat)—Here's luck! I've been looking for a brick for my office door for some time. (Tableau behind the fence.)

INVESTIGATING TRADE CONDITIONS

WASHINGTON, March 29.—For the benefit of American manufacturers and exporters the bureau of American manufactures is extending its special investigations of trade conditions in foreign countries and today announced the appointment of three new commercial agents.

R. M. Odell of Concord, N. C., an expert on cotton textiles and one of the new appointees, left today for Spain and Portugal and will attend the eighth international cotton congress of the Master Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers' associations at Barcelona in May, after which he will travel in northern Africa, the Balkan states and other foreign countries.

Durand Alexander, Jr., of New York, will leave San Francisco in a fortnight for China, Japan, Australia and India to investigate the export trade in machinery, machine tools and other similar products. J. M. Hause of Greensboro, N. C., already has started for Manchester, England, to investigate cotton textile manufactures.

WOMAN COMMITTED SUICIDE

WALTHAM, March 29.—Believed to have been despondent over the loss of work, Lulu Macauley of River Herbert Bend, N. S., committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas in a room in a lodging house in this city today. Miss Macauley was 25 years old. Last night the factory in which she worked shut down for four days.

GETS HIS MONEY

Man Captured Alleged Pickpocket

BOSTON, March 29.—Reports of pickpockets operating last night in steam railroad terminals, street cars and subway and tunnel stations kept the police busy.

One man sustained a fracture of the left arm in consequence of an encounter with a thief in the South station.

Another man had an encounter with an alleged pickpocket in the Sullivan square terminal station of the elevated railway and held the man until the police came.

During the evening several groups of men known to be pickpockets were reported as frequenting the L trains, surface cars and the stations, but whenever a policeman appeared they had vanished.

Thomas W. Walsh, 40 years old, of Holyoke, while walking through South station in a crowd on his way to his train about 5 p. m. felt a hand in his pocket and at the same instant he received a sudden push from another man on the opposite side. Walsh shouted at the man, who ran. Walsh started after him and missing his steps fell and broke a bone in his left forearm. The thief escaped in the excitement. Officers from the Lagrange street station conveyed Walsh to the hospital. He will go home today. He furnished the police a description of the alleged thief.

Pierce B. Brown, a Boston business man who lives in Malden, stopped from an elevated train at Sullivan square at 5 p. m. and found himself in a crowd attempting to board the train. He was pushed roughly and the next moment he felt a hand in his pocket. He seized the hand and shouted "Police!" The man fought, but Brown soon overpowered him.

Mr. Brown's pocketbook, containing $29 and a check for $9, was missing, but was recovered.

The prisoner was locked up at station 16, Charlestown, and said he is Harry J. Lewis, 21 years old, of 29 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury. The police found at that address a respectable family who do not know the prisoner. The prisoner later asked to have word of his arrest sent to Mrs. Cronin of 93 West Concord street, South End.

The Charlestown police say the prisoner was arrested on a similar charge a year ago at the Sullivan square station and was fined $50, which he paid.

A SURPRISE.

Politician—"Ha, ha, ha! This is the ugliest newspaper cut I've seen yet.—

—"What, what! Blamed if they haven't got my name under it! ! ! ! ! ! !"

EXCITING SCENES

At the Trial of the Camorristi Today

VITERBO, Italy, March 29.—Gennaro Abbatemaggio, the confessed camorrist, continued his revelations today at the trial of himself and his 35 associates, charged with the murder of Gennaro Cuoccolo and the latter's wife, Maria, "the beautiful Sorrentina."

Strictly speaking, Abbatemaggio's "revelations" are nothing more than side lights in confirmation of his original story as told to the authorities and published before the trial began. In his formal statement, the informer told how Cuoccolo had been murdered because he had betrayed other members of the camorra and also because there was jealousy of his increasing power on the part of Enrico Alfano, the actual head of the body, and other leaders. Cuoccolo's wife was killed to conceal the first crime.

Under the questioning of President Bianchi and aided by suggestions from Cavaliere Santero, the crown prosecutor, Abbatemaggio today recalled incidents of the crime not included in his written confession.

Asked about the $200 which had been paid to the assassins of the Cuoccolos, the informer replied that Alfano had divided the money, giving $80 to the witness and distributed the remainder among the actual assassins. Ferdinand Di Matteo, one of the assassins, protested against the giving of so large a share to Abbatemaggio, who had not participated in the killing, but he was silenced with a wink from Alfano. Abbatemaggio saw the wink and understood its meaning. His associates were aware that he knew too many of their secrets and could betray them at any moment. Accordingly no sum of money was too great to pay for his silence until the opportunity came for them to put him out of the way.

Abbatemaggio realized the feeling toward him and this, together with a revival of honest impulses, induced him to make the first revelations, which were followed by a determination to tell all and so redeem himself.

President Bianchi has received a request from Judge Frank C. Laughlin of the appellate division of the supreme court of the New York state judiciary that he be permitted to be present during next week's proceedings.

Abbatemaggio's examination was interrupted today by Corrado Sortino, one of those alleged to have killed the Cuoccolos, who asserted that the informer had declared that Sortino's brother was a member of the camorra. Rising from his seat in the prisoners' cage, Sortino shouted:

"You are a liar. My brother is one of the world's greatest sculptors. He lives in Paris, where he is the intimate of notables."

This gave excuse for a tumult, the other prisoners and their lawyers crying out:

"Abbatemaggio is a calumniator."

The informer, recognizing a trick to impair his testimony, raised his voice above the chorus, yelling:

"I never said that Sortino's brother was a camorrist."

The confusion continued and the president was compelled to suspend the sitting.

The policy of the accused is to catch Abbatemaggio in contradictions or untruths, if only in secondary matters, and so discredit his whole story.

BROCKTON BRIDE

LIVED ONLY SIX HOURS AFTER CEREMONY WAS PERFORMED

BROCKTON, March 29.—Miss Florence Ada Wagner of Brookville, a suburb, was married to Theodore Wright Bisbee at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, the Rev. J. T. Reingold performing the ceremony while she was in bed. At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon she died.

The couple were high school sweethearts. He went to the University of Maine and the Yale law school and recently began practising law. When he learned she could not live the wedding was arranged. The bride rallied a little after the ceremony and the groom remained at the bedside till the end. She was 22 years old and had tuberculosis.

THE INCOME TAX

Is Favored by the Committee

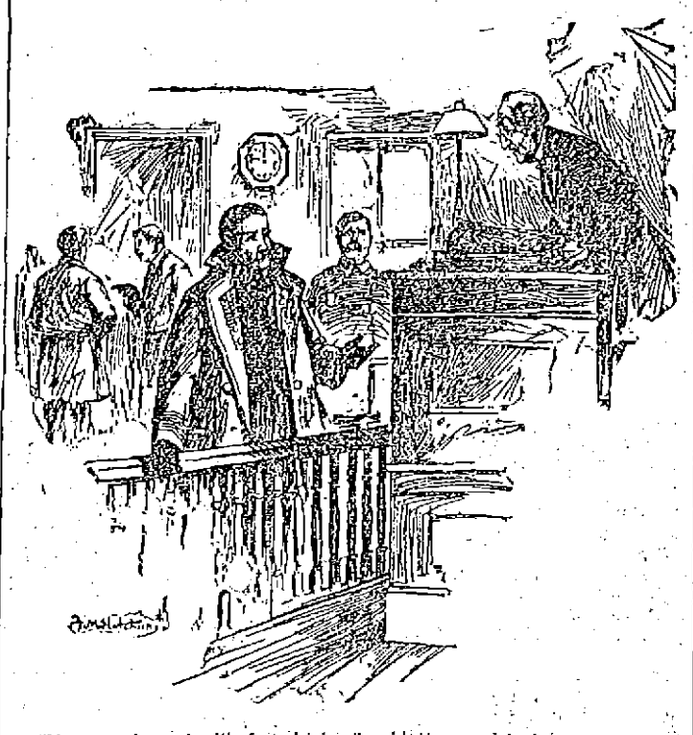
BOSTON, March 29.—The resolve placing Massachusetts in favor of the income tax amendment to the federal constitution, came out of the legislative committee today, backed by seven of the eleven members and takes its place on the house calendar. Three republicans and four democrats of the committee favored the resolve, while the minority was made up of three republicans and one democrat. There was an adverse vote on the report by a committee last year and the dissenters from the report failed to obtain favorable action on the resolve by the legislature.

SIR CASPAR CLARKE DEAD

LONDON, March 29.—Sir Caspar P. Clarke, formerly director of the Metropolitan museum of arts in New York city, died at his residence in Earls Court today.

MANAGER OF BROOKLYNS AND FOUR OF HIS GREAT YOUNG STARS

BROOKLYN, March 29.—Manager Dahlen is now on the road whipping his ball team into shape for the fast approaching pennant race. Bill is highly pleased with his outfit and says he will be the most surprised man in the country if his team does not land in third or fourth place. Brooklyn has one of the best teams that has represented this city in many years. Last season a ragged infield kept the club down in the race, but it has been strengthened by the addition of new men. Tooley, who has been playing short, gives promise of developing into one of the most sensational players of the season. Coulson, in right field, has been batting like a streak. Catcher Miller is a good one, and Pitcher Knetzer is in great form and due for a fine year in the box. The club has one of the strongest twirling staffs in either league. The backstopping department is formidable too. Dahlen ought to make things warm for his rivals.



"You are charged with fast driving," said the magistrate.

"I was driving very slowly, judge," said the culprit, "not more than thirty miles an hour."

"Heavens! Isn't that fast?"

"Not these days, judge."

MINOR LEAGUE

The J. P. S. Five Won Two Points

The J. P. S. of the Minor league won two points from the El Toros in a close game on the alleys last night. The scores were comparatively low.

A very close and exciting game was played between the Merrimacks and Groves of the Bridge Street Bowlaway league last night. The Groves won two of the three points but the Merrimacks won the total pinfall by the narrow margin of one pin.

The game between the Algonacs and Stony Brooks played last night resulted in a victory for the former team.

The scores:

Merrimacks.

	1	2	3	T'll
Hennessy	89	83	85	257
Pendergast	96	83	82	261
Panton	79	78	80	237
McNeill	97	82	83	262
Sweeney	92	100	87	279
Totals	453	426	417	1296

Groves

Chapman	91	72	79	245
Pilkington	77	86	81	244
McIntyre	87	94	78	259
Croft	92	88	91	271
Fielding	96	88	92	276
Totals	446	428	421	1295

MINOR LEAGUE

El Toros

	1	2	3	T'll
Lawn	73	90	89	252
Clay	84	94	78	256
Richards	80	81	79	240
Furlong	90	92	101	283
Sub	79	69	70	218
Totals	406	426	417	1249

J. P. S.

Mason	82	85	82	249
Montgomery	97	89	92	278
Madden	90	83	70	233
Lafleur	79	69	100	248
Sub	73	81	78	232
Totals	411	407	422	1240

ALGONACS WON

Algonacs

	1	2	3	T'll
Hallett	79	83	81	243
Freeman	80	91	94	265
Willis	93	110	88	291
McElroy	100	91	76	267
O'Neil	104	86	84	274
Totals	456	461	423	1340

Stony Brooks

Berry	82	86	80	248
Graham	80	89	87	256
Hodger	91	84	88	263
O'Connell	87	103	87	277
Duffy	84	87	97	268
Totals	424	449	439	1312

GETS PARDON

O'DONNELL WAS SERVING SENTENCE ON ASSAULT CHARGE

NEW BEDFORD, March 29.—George O'Donnell, who in 1908 was sentenced to the house of correction for three years on an assault charge following the dynamiting of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad bridge in Somerset, was released yesterday afternoon, five months before the expiration of his term, through the action of the county commissioners.

Mayor Higgins of Fall River, as attorney for O'Donnell, had been working for his client's pardon for some time.

The Somerset bridge was blown up on the night of June 15, 1908, while in process of construction. A few weeks before a similar act had been attempted at the Brightman street bridge, in Fall River, which was also in process of construction. Both bridges were being built by a Philadelphia construction company.

The noise of the explosion at Somerset attracted a large crowd, and when the police arrived they found O'Donnell, who was placed under arrest after he had drawn a revolver and made some resistance. He was given the maximum sentence on an assault charge.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

BY L'UNION SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN, F. A. F.

L'Union Samuel de Champlain, F. A. F., held a well attended meeting in C. M. A. C. hall last night, the main feature of which was the election of officers for the coming term, and of delegates to the Foresters' convention to be held in Holyoke. The officers elected were:

Chief forester, J. A. Donais; sub chief forester, Jean Louis Tellier; recording secretary, Alfred Lebel; first conductor, Jean R. Paradis; second conductor, Wm. Robitaille; first sentinel, Arthur Champagne; second sentinel, Arthur Lavoie; dean, F. X. Rivet; first trustee, David A. Parthenais. The treasurer, Paul Vigeant, and the financial secretary, J. S. Lippe, were elected for a year's term six months ago.

As the court is a very large one, it is entitled to six delegates to the Foresters' convention to be held at Holyoke in May. The delegates elected last night were: Napoleon C. Grandchamp, Camille Roussin, J. A. Donais, J. S. Lippe, Onesime Grondine and Alfred Lebel. The substitutes are: Narcisse Foucher, Sinai Mathon, Joseph Parent, Arthur Bourgeault, Jean R. Paradis and Alexis Morin.

DETROIT COLTS WON

DALLAS, Tex., March 29.—The Detroit American league colts yesterday won from the Dallas, Texas league club, 8 to 6.

VICTORY FOR HIGHLANDERS

RICHMOND, Va., March 29.—New York Americans, 10; Richmond, Virginia league 2.

TWO NEW LEADERS IN CONGRESS AT SPECIAL SESSION

WASHINGTON, March 29.—When congress meets in special session Tuesday, April 4, two new party leaders will be found in the place of Speaker Joseph G. Cannon and Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island. They will be Congressman and Speaker Champ Clark of Missouri and Senator Boies Penrose of Pennsylvania, who succeeds Aldrich as chairman of the finance committee. This position carries with it the leadership in the upper house. Penrose, a republican, will undoubtedly endeavor to line up the conservative forces in the senate to oppose any radical tariff provisions that the democratic house may pass. There will be very interesting battles between the democratic lower house and the republican upper house, and the brunt of them will fall on Penrose and Clark. Tariff revision and the question of reciprocity with Canada will be the two chief subjects taken up by the new congress.

WHITE MAN'S HOPE

Carl Morris Put Schreck Away in Sixth Round

SAPULPA, Okla., March 29.—Carl Morris of Oklahoma, called the heavyweight pugilistic hope of the white race, made good his name in the prize ring two miles south of here late yesterday afternoon by knocking out Mike Schreck of Pittsburg in the sixth round of what was to have been a 15-round bout. A right to the jaw did the work.

It was Morris' fight from the start to the finish, which came one minute, two seconds after the beginning of the sixth round, when Schreck fell heavily and took the count.

During the entire fight Shreck struck Morris only five clean blows, none of which was hard enough to cause Carl much discomfort. On the other hand, Oklahoma's young fighter chased and struck the veteran as he pleased. Morris demonstrated that he is a great right-and-left-hand fighter.

About 500 of the 12,000 spectators were women, coming mostly from Sapulpa and Oklahoma City. Carl Morris' wife was greeted with cheers as she entered the arena and occupied a box from where she had a good view.

It looked for a while as if the fight might have to be postponed on account of a sandstorm. A heavy wind blew great clouds of sand into the arena, filling the eyes of spectators and fighters, but it abated somewhat shortly before the main bout was scheduled to begin, and postponement of the big event was averted.

A section of the seats in the big arena collapsed just before the fight. Fortunately, no one was hurt. About 100 persons were in the section.

Morris entered the ring weighing 220 pounds. Schreck appeared to be overweight at 200. Though he had been training nearly a month, the effects of the work were not apparent on the surface.

Moving pictures were taken of the crowd and fight. The arena seated 12,000 persons and every seat was sold. Although the tickets cost from $3 to $10, nobody objected to the prices. The fight began at 4 p. m.

The betting was 4 to 1 that Morris would win, 2 to 1 he would win within 10 rounds and even money that Schreck would take the count before five rounds.

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DIAMOND NOTES

Hugh Jennings, manager of the Detroits, has notified his players that shaking dice for money must stop and that in future each offender will have to pay a fine of $200. Jennings in an open statement declares that gambling among the Tigers has caused endless trouble and ill feeling. He says some of his men have won large sums from their fellow players, with the result that he finds it a difficult matter to enforce the rules of discipline. He says that there is dissension in the once great team due to the rolling of the bones and that he is determined to stop the practice even if he is compelled to release one of his stars. Jennings believes that dice shaking and poker games by players in other teams should be strictly prohibited and he is going to ask the national commission to take steps in that direction.

John J. McMahon, the pitcher who helped to win pennants for Baltimore when Ed. Hanlon was a manager and had such men as McGraw, Keeler, Jennings and Kelley under his wing, has signed a contract to act as a scout for the Giants. McMahon wanted to be a National league umpire, but when he failed to secure that berth he turned to McGraw for employment. McMahon is an expert judge of playing talent and his selection is a good one. He will begin work by inspecting the college teams this spring before going over the minor leagues with a fine tooth comb. McGraw admitted last year that he needed a first class scout, and he spoke the truth judging by the way his recruits in Texas have turned out.

12,000 MEN IDLE

ALTOONA, Pa., March 29.—Orders were issued yesterday for the closing of the local Pennsylvania shops for the remainder of the week, thus laying off 12,000 men four days. Next Monday the shops will reopen on a 45 hour a week basis. The reason assigned is the necessity for keeping within the company's appropriation for the month and to provide against the falling off of traffic receipts.

JACK JOHNSON

World's Champion Is in Jail

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Jack Johnson, world's champion pugilist, is in jail and, unless some higher court comes to his relief on a technicality, he will serve a 25 day sentence for automobile speeding.

Johnson has often been an offender against the speed laws. After 14 arrests, from which he escaped with light fines or dismissal, he ran against acting Precinct Judge Treadwell last Thursday. On that day he pleaded guilty to a charge of speeding, and on Saturday he was sent to jail. He took an appeal to the superior court and yesterday afternoon Judge Morgan dismissed the appeal, cancelled the fighter's $500 bail and ordered him into immediate custody. Ten minutes later two deputy sheriffs had him in charge, bound for the Branch county jail.

FRANK KLAUS

DEFEATED SULLIVAN IN THE THIRD ROUND

NEW YORK, March 29.—Frank Klaus of Pittsburg stopped "Montana Jack" Sullivan in the third round of a 10 round bout at the Fairmont Athletic club last night. Sullivan was fairly clever, but Klaus, always rushing, dropped the westerner in the first round. The end came in the third when Klaus sent over a left to the jaw and Sullivan went down for the count of nine.

As he regained his feet the Pittsburg fighter landed a hard hook to the jaw and Sullivan again went to the floor for nine seconds. When he arose, Klaus tried hard for a knockout and after two more hard smashes had landed on the westerner the referee stopped the bout.

THREE MATCHES

Joe Thomas Will Have Busy Month

Joe Thomas, the well known boxer, has a busy few weeks before him. On April 5 he will box Bill McKinnon in Manchester and on April 12, he will take on Tommy Sullivan in Lawrence. On April 27 he meets Jack Dillon in Terre Haute, Ind. Joe is training at his home in upper Gorham street and is in fine condition.

Young Boyle Matched

Young Boyle of this city and Young Burke of Lynn are matched to box at Woburn on Monday evening next.

EDDIE MURPHY

WAS GIVEN A HARD BATTLE BY PAUL KOHLER

BOSTON, March 29.—Eddie Murphy of Boston, needed all his skill to secure the decision from Paul Kohler of Cleveland, O., in ten rounds of fast boxing at the Armory Athletic association last night. Another lightweight contest, which was equally close, was a 10-round bout between Tommy O'Keefe of Philadelphia and Johnny Glover of Cambridge, won by the former. The third main bout, scheduled for ten rounds, was concluded with the fifth, when Frank Perron of Pawtucket, R. I., conceded the victory to Buck Crouse of Pittsburg, Pa., who proved a whirlwind boxer. Perron was sent to the floor three times in the fourth round and was only saved from being counted out by the bell at the end of the fifth.

In the preliminary, Mark Conley of Boston defeated Kid Willetts of Fall River in six rounds.

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FIRE DISASTER

Official Inquiry Into Cause of It Resumed Today

NEW YORK, March 29.—There was no let-up today in the official probing of last Saturday's factory fire disaster in which 143 persons lost their lives. The death of one victim during the night brought the total up to the figure given. Twenty charred bodies still are unidentified. On Saturday these bodies, or such of them as relatives and friends have by that time been unable to identify, will be buried in Mount Sinai cemetery.

Attention was largely centered today in that phase of the investigation taken in charge by District Attorney Whitman in an effort to fix responsibility for the catastrophe. Mr. Whitman summoned many witnesses to his office to get their testimony in shape for presentation to the grand jury. Fire Marshal Beers continued the examination of witnesses in his investigation.

A LIVELY DISCUSSION

Democrats Opposed to Closing of Cheever Street School

The joint convention of the city council was not the only "big thing" at city hall last night. There was a meet- of the school board and there was more good plain talk and lively discussion at this session than has marked a meeting of the board for some time. Two matters that provoked debate were recommendations of the committee on teachers that the Cheever street school be closed and that an out of town woman selected by the principal of the Normal school be chosen to the staff of the Bartlett school. The democrats fought both these propositions and succeeded in having final action postponed for one month, by offering motions to reconsider after the motions to accept the recommendations had been passed by a vote of 5 to 4. When the Cheever street school closing matter was reached, it was stated that because of the small attendance it was deemed advisable, in order to save expense, to close the school. Mr. McKenzie at once objected and said that there were other schools that could not compare with the Cheever street school in point of attendance and yet there was no demand that they be closed. He said that it was an injustice to the people of the district to oblige them to send their little ones to another school farther away and he asked the members to vote against the adoption of the recommendation of the committee. Mr. Mahoney also opposed the closing of the school and stated that there are twelve primary schools in the city having a lower attendance of pupils than the Cheever street school. He also said that it was wrong to oblige these children to go to the Greenhalge school and encounter the danger of crossing railroad tracks and the trudge through slush and snow in stormy weather. The motion to close the school was passed, 5 to 4, and a motion to reconsider at the next meeting was offered.

On the question of the new teacher in the Bartlett school, Mr. Farrington objected strongly and incidentally handed out some parliamentary points that had the chairman worried for a time. Mr. Farrington said that while he recognized the fact that an agreement was made with the state that teachers in the Bartlett school should be nominated by the principal of the Normal school, yet there are rules prepared by the republican members of last year's board stating that no person can become a teacher in the public schools until she has been passed upon by a board of supervisors. He said that he has no objection to the teacher, but he did believe that if rules are made, they should be lived up to, and that they take preference over any agreement that may have been entered into, until they are changed.

Mr. Payne also opposed the election of an out of town teacher and told the board that there are in Lowell today at least a dozen girls, graduates of leading colleges of the country, who are qualified to take the position which it is proposed to give to an out of town girl. The vote was 5 to 4 as in the previous case and Mr. Farrington gave notice of reconsideration.

The report of the committee on teachers was as follows:

The committee on teachers recommended that the Cheever street school be closed on and after April 1, and that teachers and pupils be transferred as follows:

Miss Helen Kohawn to the Greenhalge school, where the master, Mr. Wood, shall be authorized to open another room.

Miss Elizabeth Provencher, with her pupils and those of Miss Kohawn to the Green school.

Miss Ida J. Clarke, principal at Cheever street, with her pupils and those of Miss Frappler, to the Cabot street school as principal.

Miss Eugenie V. Frappler, to the temporary list, though with the full pay of an assigned teacher, until a permanent place can be found for her.

The extremely small attendance at the Cheever street school was the reason assigned for the consolidation. With the teacher's salary, janitor service and coal, it was estimated that at least $1500 would be saved. Opposition developed to the closing of the school and the report was not adopted.

A certificate of the fourth grade was granted to Miss Eva Craven, a graduate of the Perry Kindergarten Normal school of Boston.

The committee on school houses and hygiene recommended, and it was voted, that the inspector of public buildings be directed to install the Bartlett drinking fountain in the public schools, under the direction of the committee.

The same committee recommended and it was voted, that John T. McCarty be made permanent janitor at the Green school, and that Thomas J. McGee be elected janitor at the New Moody street school. The two men were regularly elected.

It was voted to grant the request of Mr. Stolt, sealer of weights and measures, for the use of a room in the Mann school.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie Herlihy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Nora T. Donahoe, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of May, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

James E. O'Donnell, Attorney.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Lena Maude White, of Ayer, in said County, that she was lawfully married to John A. White, now of parts unknown, whose last known place of residence was Boston, Mass., at Groton, in said County, the thirtieth day of April, A. D. 1902, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said John A. White lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Boston and New York, in the State of New York; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said John A. White, being wholly regardless of the same, at said New York and said Boston, on or about the twenty-first day of May, A. D. 1902, and subsequently did subject your libellant to cruel and abusive treatment; also at said Boston, on or about the fifth day of July, A. D. 1902, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued said desertion from the last named date to the time of filing this libel, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing hereof; also being of sufficient ability, grossly, wantonly and cruelly refuses and neglects to provide suitable maintenance for your libellant.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said John A. White, and for such other orders and decrees as to your Honors shall seem meet, and as justice may require.

Dated the ninth day of February, A. D. 1911.

LENA MAUDE WHITE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, February 11, A. D. 1911.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of May next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

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HORSE CLIPPING by power while you wait, $2.00. 100 Willie st.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

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SAFETY RAZOR BLADES of all kinds sharpened; Gillette's a specialty; 2½c each. Harry Gonzales, The Cutler, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

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MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE—Women keeping house and others, advanced them without security, easy payments, cheapest rates, don't worry or annoy friends about money, keep your credit good by paying as you agree. I will furnish you money to do it. D. H. Tolman, Room 48, 45 Merrimack st.

PRIVATE PARTY will loan money on furniture, pianos, etc., at lowest rates. All dealings strictly confidential. Address P., Sun Office.

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Mill Operatives, Clerks, Mechanics and Housekeepers may borrow money. Loaned without security. No waits, no investigations or red tape. Business strictly confidential. Two private offices, most liberal terms of any company in Lowell. Payable in small weekly payments.

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You will find the AMERICAN a surprisingly different institution from the ordinary loan company you hear or read about. Confidential dealings, quick service, courteous employes, bright, cheerful offices, considerate treatment, rates you can afford to pay, make us different. If you have never borrowed, or if your experience with other companies has not been entirely satisfactory, please call on us.

Let us explain the AMERICAN system. It will please you.

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Borrow money and pay high rates of interest when you can get any reasonable amount from a reliable company at

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TWO PAINTERS would like work. Drop postal to W. B. S. Sanders, 483 Central st.

MATERNITY NURSE wants engagements. Inquire Mrs. King, rear 40 Mead st.

CLEANING WANTED by the day or hour. Inquire 61 Concord st., down stairs.

HELP WANTED

CLEAN CUT, ENERGETIC MAN wanted between 25 and 35 years of age, as collector and salesman for established firm; permanent position; good salary and opportunity of advancement for the man willing to work. Write F. L. B., Room 16, Daggett Bldg., Haverhill, Mass.

WE WANT A BRIGHT, ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN, about 25 years, as manager of our proposed office in Lowell; salesmanship experience preferred, though not necessary, if other qualifications are satisfactory. Applications to receive attention must give full details. Inter-State, 16 Boylston Bldg., Boston.

MILLINERY MAKERS and trimmers wanted; also sales girls and apprentices. Mrs. Flanders, 95 Westford st.

COMPETENT HOUSE GIRL wanted at once. One who can cook, in family of three. Apply 276 Westford st.

TAILOR AND DRESSMAKER wanted. Steady employment. Apply 120 Lakeview ave.

WOMAN WANTED for general housework, at once. Call on Hilton, Pike's farmhouse. Take Reading car to Wamesit.

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER wanted at once. Apply 145 Chelmsford st.

GOOD RELIABLE MAN wanted who understands farming; can furnish tenement. Apply evenings 528 Middlesex st.

WOMAN WANTED for general work. Wages moderate. 13 Dutton st.

EXPERIENCED PRESSER wanted on ladies' garments. Steady work and good wages. Address N., Sun Office.

ALTERATION FITTER wanted on ladies' garments, man preferred. Only experienced person need apply. A good position for the person showing proper qualifications. Address X. X., Sun Office.

HIGH SCHOOL BOY wanted for work to be done on Saturday afternoons. References required. Address H. S. T., Sun Office.

FEMALE SPEEDER TENDERS wanted; good pay, steady work. Boston Mfg. Co., Waltham, Mass.

GOOD SECOND HAND CARRIAGE PAINTER wanted. Apply to B. F. Lewis, 26 West Third st.

GIRLS WANTED to feed job printing presses. Permanent positions. Apply 145 Perry st.

CAPABLE AND INTELLIGENT WOMAN wanted at once, in every large town and city to do house to house canvassing. Small article, clean and easily handled. For particulars write S. M. Lohusey, 1001 Carson st., Pittsburg, Pa.

LADY AGENTS wanted for something new, that will sell—try it and earn some money. Address F. H. M., Sun Office.

BIG OPPORTUNITY—The Holdaway "Bullnsewer" fits all sewing machines. Sews hooks, eyes and buttons on all materials twenty times quicker than old method. Entirely new—patented—so useful it sells like bread in a famine. We want representatives everywhere—men (and women) of right timber for district managers and solicitors. If you are qualified, write quick, giving experience and reference. Knapp & Dewar, 649 Old South Bldg., Boston, Mass.

BARBER WANTED. Apply 502 Worthen st.

FIRST CLASS BARBER wanted at Peter Paradis, Post Office Ave.

GOVERNMENT positions explained free. Write Herrick's Institute, Fall River, Mass.

YOUNG LADY wanted at once to operate our electric "Kut Out" border machine. Apply to L. R. Wilson, Wall Paper Dept., Nelson's Dept. store.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES wanted. Send postal for Lowell examination schedule. Franklin Institute, Dept. 141-E., Rochester, N. Y.

MEN WANTED to learn the automobile business; road driving and repairing. Send stamp for particulars. New England Auto School, 503 Tremont st., Boston.

ABLE BODIED MEN wanted for the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 18 and 35. Must be native born or have first papers. Monthly pay $15 to $69. Additional compensation possible. Food, clothing, quarters and medical attention free. After 30 years' service can retire with 75 per cent of pay and allowances. Service on board ship and ashore in all parts of the world. Apply at U. S. Marine Corps, Recruiting Office, Room 15, Runels Bldg., Lowell, Mass.

ANY BOY anxious to earn money can secure a position with me. To my best boys I am going to give SAVINGS BANKS and cash prizes. The work is easy and does not interfere with other duties. Max L. Kalz, 9 Hurd st.

ABLE BODIED UNMARRIED MEN wanted for U. S. army; between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 169 Middlesex st., Lowell, Mass.

Experienced Coat Maker

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Painter and paperhanger, graining and interior decorating. 3 Brackett ave. Telephone 729-2.

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Dealer in wall papers at very lowest prices, also paper hanging, whitewashing, painting. Estimates given on large or small jobs. We will paper rooms for $2. We furnish the wall paper. All work guaranteed.

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Rates Lowest, Payments Easiest

We guarantee we will not make any embarrassing inquiries of the friends, family or employer. Money can be repaid to suit patron.

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Wyman's Exchange, Corner Merrimack and Central sts., Fifth Floor. Take Elevator. Rooms 503 and 505. Tel. 2074.

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TO LET

MODERN FLAT of 5 rooms, down stairs, to let at 204 South st.; rent $14. Inquire at cottage in rear.

5-ROOM FLAT to let; pantry, bath room, set tubs, hardwood floors; clothes reel. Inquire 60 Walker st.

BRIGHT SUNNY ROOM to let, all modern improvements, at 85 Royal st.

7-ROOM TENEMENT to let; steam heat, bath and pantry. Call at 61 Agawam st., or tel. 2553-2. Rent reasonable.

COTTAGE TO LET; 7 rooms. Inquire at 29 Swain st., Dracut Navy Yard.

MODERN HOUSE to let; 7 rooms, besides pantry and bath, set wash trays, furnace and bulkhead. Nice lot of land. 15 Tolman ave. Call or write P. H. Connell, 33 Lamb st.

TENEMENT OF 5 ROOMS to let on Fletcher st. G. D. Kimball, 97 Central st.

9-ROOM TENEMENT to let, steam heat, bath, hot and cold water, at 43 London st.

FIRST CLASS BARN to let, with five stalls, or suitable for garage, at 23 Lombard st.

2 NICE UNFURNISHED ROOMS to let; suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 93 Chestnut st.

TENEMENTS to let, 3 and 7 rooms, $2 per week; good condition. Inquire cor. Hudson and Lawrence sts. A. H. Haley.

29 ROOMS and one large dining room to let at 226 Central st. Particulars at 40 Church st.

TENEMENT OF 5 ROOMS to let, with bath and storeroom, at 159 Summer st., opposite South common. Inquire 4 Fletcher st.

FRONT ROOM with bath, to let, at $2. Apply 124 Appleton st.

VERY FINE 6-ROOM TENEMENT to let; bath, pantry, heat, large yard, shade, fruit, excellent condition, good neighborhood, near Westford st., 15 minutes to P. O. Another dandy, next door, 157 Smith st. M. J. Sharkey, 22 Central st., room 25. Tel. 2687.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, pantry, bath, hot and cold water. $12. Apply Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

JOE FLYNN has one 7-room tenement at 149 Cushing st.; one 4-room flat on Elm st. $1.50 per week. All new.

UP-TO-DATE TENEMENT to let, 19 Lombard st., 7 rooms, bath and pantry, hot water. Inquire 38 Second ave.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let; steam heat and bath; also rooms for light housekeeping at 75 E. Merrimack st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let; steam heat and gas, $4 per week and upwards. Mrs. McMillan, Gallagher House, William st.

FLAT OF 6 ROOMS to let, 900 Gorham st.; set tubs and bath; rent reasonable. Apply 192 South st.

5-ROOM FLAT to let on Somerset st. Apply 381 Walker st. Tel. 1494-4.

HOUSE AND BARN to let or for sale; cottage of 10 rooms, gas, water, furnace heat in the house, also barn, hen house and a piece of land, at 202 Pleasant st., Navy Yard; three minutes from the Lakeview car line; easy payments.

STORE TO LET, with tenement connected; gas and conveniences; 34 North st. Apply 33 North st.

TENEMENT to let at 78 Varney st., will 7 rooms and bath. Keys at 141 Mt. Vernon st.

MODERN 7-ROOM TENEMENT to let; steam heated; at 34 Rolfe st. Inquire at Tobin's Printery, Associate Bldg.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 151-153 Appleton st. Steam heat, gas and bath room. Under new management. Telephone 1872-11.

NEW MODERN FLAT to let on Carter st.; rent $15. Inquire 937 Gorham st.

8-ROOM FLAT to let; steam heated, hot and cold water, set tubs; off Broadway, on Walker st. Inquire 37 Hildreth Bldg. Tel. 1888.

TWO FLATS of six rooms each, to let, at the corner of Perry and Sherman sts. Newly remodelled. Apply 499 High st.

SUITE OF 3 ROOMS to let; bath and pantry; modern. The Bellevue, 137 Stackpole st. C. A. Roberts. Tel. 1918-1.

MODERN FLATS to let in good locality; 5-room flat, also some smaller ones. All have hot water, set tubs, open plumbing, large bath room and pantry. Apply F. W. Barrows, 646 Gorham st. Tel. 2578.

5-ROOM FLAT to let, modernly improved, at 179 Stackpole st., near Alder st. Rent $15 a month. Apply 384 High st. Tel. 1151-2.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE

Separate rooms $1 per month for regular $2 two-horse load. The dryest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connections. O. F. Prentiss, 355 Bridge st.

Offices For Rent

Three splendid offices to let in the NEW HARRINGTON BUILDING, 52 CENTRAL STREET. Rent low. Inquire at the office of THE LOWELL SUN.

TYPEWRITERS

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We have a number of SECOND HAND TYPEWRITERS that have the regular keyboard and will do as good work as the latest model. Price $15.

ROYAL $10
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Office at 521 Middlesex street. Any orders left at the above place will be promptly attended to. Shingling and gravel roofing a specialty. All work warranted. Telephone No. 832-1.

Shop and residence, 140 Humphrey st. Telephone 931-13.

The Gage Dining Rooms

48 KIRK STREET

Formerly conducted by Miss Bent, have reopened under new management.

Second-Hand Building Material

Lumber, doors, windows and stone. Buildings now being torn down and going fast. BURTON H. WIGGIN, 130 Market st.

FOR SALE

BABY CARRIAGE for sale; up-to-date; run one season; new tires; cost $25; let go cheap. 640 Merrimack st.

TOMATOES 8c lb., 2 lbs. 15c. Fresh killed chicken, fowl and turkeys. Seed potatoes. 538 Middlesex st. Tel. 114-2.

MARE FOR SALE, 7 years old; well dressed, guaranteed in every respect. Call on M. Maxime Milot at 275 Aiken st., or at 16 Rockdale ave.

1909 BUICK for sale; model F, 2-cylinder; in first class condition. Can be seen at Church Street Garage.

VARIETY STORE STOCK for sale and store and tenement to let. Call 24 West st.

CLEANING BENCH with sink; a chest that holds 600 lbs. fish and two window pans for sale cheap. Inquire 53 Main st.

BIRCH WOOD, all cut and split; also a lot of corn fodder for sale. Inquire G. W. Trull, Tewksbury, Mass.

CANARY BIRDS for sale, males and females. 102 Cross st.

EGGS FOR HATCHING, for sale; White Wyandottes and White Leghorns, Dustan and Wychofs strain; 60 cents for 13, $4 per 100. H. O. Bird, Tyngsboro, Mountain Rock, Nashua cars.

TWO DOZEN HOUSE RAISED IRISH LARKS for sale at 82 Willie st.

GREENALL'S HOME REMEDY, for rheumatism is selling like bread in a famine. Partner wanted. Trial box 10 cents. 9 Pihl st.

FOUR DRAWER NATIONAL CASH REGISTER for sale. In A1 condition. Apply Shadduck & Normandin Co., Middlesex st.

NEW AND SECOND HAND AUTOMOBILES for sale, quality the best, prices the lowest. H. C. Fuller, 320 Middlesex st. Phone 613-2.

GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY STORE for sale, located at 445 Broadway. Doing good business. Will sell at bargain. Owner leaving city.

EGGS FOR HATCHING for sale; White Plymouth Rocks and Brown Leghorns. From selected pens. R. S. Lindsay, end South Lowell car line.

HORSES FOR SALE, from 800 to 1400 pounds. A. B. Humphrey, 667 Gorham st. Tel. 613-1.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

CHEAP HOMES—Small amount down, cosy 6-room cottage, Centralville, only $1100; 6-room corner cottage, near Bleachery, $1100; 3 ten. block near Tannery, big bargain; 7-room cottage near Central st., only $850; St. Margaret's parish, dandy 7-room cottage, pantry, bath, hot water; beauty, bargain. Large list modern homes, 2 tenements and investment properties, all sections. M. J. Sharkey, 22 Central st., room 25. Tel. 2687.

FOR SALE

Near Chelmsford Centre, 6 room house, hennery, 2 acres of land. Price $900.

Near Bridge st., two-tenement house, large lot of land. Price $2200.

3½ miles from Lowell, 25 acre farm. Price only $1300.

Near Gorham st., 6-room house, large lot of land. Price $900.

6 miles from Lowell on main road, 9 acre farm, horse, cow, lots of hens, all farming tools, wagon, sleigh. Price only $1100.

3½ miles from Lowell, 30 acre farm, 2 cows, horse, hens, farming tools, on main road. Price $2350.

G. L. HUBBARD

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Rare Opportunity

To purchase two building lots in Belvidere, within six minutes' walk of Merrimack square. Suitable for two or three apartment houses; also five lots in the Oaklands. H. C. Fuller, 320 Middlesex st.

WANTED

COTTAGE HOUSE of six or more rooms wanted to rent or buy. Preferably within vicinity of Catholic church. Address C. C. B., Sun Office.

NICE COTTAGE or two-tenement house wanted in some good place. Give location and price for cash. Box 795, Lowell post office.

LODGING HOUSES and stores wanted. Price must be low. Cash customers waiting. L. D. Maynard, Room 46, 22 Central st.

FURNITURE WANTED, large or small lots, larger the better; will pay cash and as much as it is worth to sell again. O. P. Prentiss, 355 Bridge st. Tel. 126.

WANTED—The public to call at W. T. Griffin's, 189 Appleton st., for a load of our spruce edgings, just the wood for spring. Try a chaldron of nice coke, just right for this weather; also coal of all sizes, mill kindlings, slab and hard wood. Telephone 663.

LOST AND FOUND

BUNCH OF KEYS lost between M. O'Keeffe's store on Central st. and Appleton st. Finder please return to 217 Central st.

GOLD MARKED BUTTON lost Wednesday afternoon, March 22, in vicinity of Merrimack, Central, Gorham and Thorndike sts. Finder return to 29 Wamesit st. Reward.

POCKETBOOK lost containing sum of money, Monday morning, in vicinity of Boott mill yard. Reward for return to office Boott mills.

HANDBAG lost, containing pocketbook with sum of money, 2 keys and box of pills, between Knox's 5c and 10c store and John st. Please return to 63 Tyler st.

FOUR $1 BILLS lost Saturday, March 25th, in butcher shop, cor. Howe and East Merrimack sts., or by way of Fayette and Chestnut sts. to 174 High st. Finder please return to 174 High st., down stairs tenement, and receive reward.

NURSE'S LOWELL HOSPITAL CLASS PIN lost Sunday night between Mt. Vernon st. and Merrimack sq., or on Christian Hill car. Owner's name on back. Reward for return to 93 Mt. Vernon st.

PAIR OF GOLD ROSARY BEADS found in Lincoln hall, Sunday evening, March 19. Owner can have same by calling at 26 Tyler st. and paying for adv. Call after six evenings.

PURSE FOUND—Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this adv. Mrs. C. J. Haines, Opera House.

POCKETBOOK lost in Union Market, Saturday. Reward for return to Union Market, Middlesex st. No questions asked.

J. H. Rogers Optician

Now located at 7 MERRIMACK ST., over Transfer Station. Eyes examined. Glasses made and repaired. All work guaranteed. Lowest prices.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston. Lve.	Att.
5.45	6.50	8.15	4.05
a6.27	7.41	5.14	7.11
6.32	7.18	7.55	8.57
b6.44	7.53	8.15	8.01
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.32
7.24	8.08	b9.51	11.24
a7.31	8.48	10.00	10.58
7.55	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.25	12.00	1.01
8.58	9.35	12.50	1.07
b9.08	10.20	1.00	1.37
9.45	10.28	2.00	2.46
9.59	11.04	3.00	3.38
10.43	11.20	b3.51	5.02
11.19	12.00	4.00	4.38
12.12	1.00	a4.14	5.32
1.46	2.25	5.00	5.57
2.54	3.27	b5.21	6.25
3.57	4.40	5.33	6.28
4.58	5.27	b5.51	7.05
5.20	6.15	a6.14	7.36
b5.10	7.12	7.35	8.48
6.15	7.00	8.30	9.05
7.36	8.20	10.39	11.34
9.46	10.30	11.17	12.06

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

Lve.	Att.	Lve.	Att.
6.39	7.15	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.35
7.55	8.39	11.30	12.07
8.43	9.49	1.00	1.57
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.25	11.24	7.30	8.02
2.18	2.55	8.30	9.05
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.05	10.14	10.52
7.35	8.20	10.29	11.55
8.45	10.30		

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston. Lve.	Att.
5.48	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.03	9.08	7.30	8.55
9.50	10.55	9.24	10.44
10.50	11.55	10.53	11.54
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
z1.30	2.37	2.14	3.20
3.10	4.18	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.34	4.56	6.06
5.08	6.25	6.03	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.46
9.44	10.49	9.35	10.53
		x11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

Lve.	Att.	Lve.	Att.
8.20	9.20	8.00	9.05
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.30	6.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.30	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery.

Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott

Head & Shaw, milliners, 35 John St.

Saturday is Quarter Day at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

Open an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. April 1st is "Quarter Day."

A month's mind mass of requiem will be sung in St. Peter's church, Friday morning at 8 o'clock for the repose of the soul of the late Michael Leonard.

There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of the late Frederick J. Burns, on Saturday morning, April 1st, at 8 o'clock, at the church of the Immaculate Conception.

Mrs. D. E. Knight entertained the members of her Sunday school class Monday evening at her home in Branch street. The evening was very pleasantly passed in games, music, etc. Refreshments were served.

The engagement is announced of Miss Alice Leoncha Regan of Lowell and Thomas F. Kelly, formerly of Lowell but now of Clinton, Mass. Mr. Kelly is overseer of dyeing at Bradfelt Worsted Co., Clinton, Mass. The wedding will take place next month.

A reception to Rev. Ransom A. Greene, D. D., and Mrs. Greene will be given Thursday night, April 6, by the Grace Universalist church, with which Rev. Dr. Greene is soon to sever his connection to go to Charlestown. All friends of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Greene are cordially invited to be present.

BIG RACE TRACK

IS TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION, IT IS DECIDED

NEW ORLEANS, March 29.—The City park racetrack property is to go on the block. At a meeting of the directors of the New Orleans Jockey club last night the vote resulted in a decision to advertise the property at once for sale. It is said, however, that the city may take over the property as an addition to City park, adjoining the racing plant. It is generally conceded that the racing game is dead in this state.

By Charles F. Keyes, Auctioneer,
10 Green Street, Lowell, Mass.

Adjourned Mortgagee's Sale

The sale advertised in The Lowell Sun on the 15th, 22nd and 29th of October, 1910, to take place under a certain mortgage given to Jean J. Vandervoer by Richard Cummings, dated September 21, A. D. 1907, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 413, Page 371, which mortgage was duly assigned to the Brown-Wales Company of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, a corporation duly established by law, by an instrument in common form dated September 22nd, A. D. 1910, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 457, Page 555, and subsequently assigned to me by said Brown-Wales Company by an instrument in common form dated October 6, A. D. 1910, recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 457, Page 424, and which was adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 192 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1911, has been again adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 192 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1911.

For description and terms see published notice.

FREDERICK H. CHASE,
Assignee of said mortgage.
Thomas J. Enright,
Attorney for mortgagee.
Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1911.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

Big Furniture Sale at Keyes' Commission Rooms, Old B. & M. Depot, Green St., On Next Thursday, March 30, Commencing at 1.30 P. M.

Goods consist in part of 27 tapestry rugs in various sizes from 6x6 to 9x12, 2 heavy brass beds, 2 cherry bookcases, 9 ft. high, with five shelves and six drawers each, 2 oak hall stands, an oak combination bookcase and desk, 5 oak centre tables, 25 chairs and rockers, 4 iron beds, with National springs, one hair mattress, No. 8 Home Crawford range, with hot water front, Glenwood range with hot water front, practically new, 3 oak chiffoniers, 3 Morris chairs, oak chamber set of 10 pieces, 2 oak sideboards, 2 round oak tables, 3 kitchen tables, 5-piece parlor suit, 7 strips of hall and stair carpet, lot of small rugs, 4 mission chairs, with red leather seats, would make a very pretty den set; mahogany rocker, 6 brass costumers, black walnut dresser with marble top, very handsome dark oak dining-room set, consisting of a buffet china closet, 6 chairs with leather seats, and a round dining table. This set has been in use but five months; 2 sliding couches, 2 refrigerators, 3 couches, 5-piece haircloth set, Morris chair upholstered in leather, several willow rockers, Angelus piano attachment with genuine mahogany case, mahogany bench, a very handsome upright piano, practically new. This is a beautiful instrument and if you are in the market for a piano it will be to your advantage to call in and examine this one before the sale. We have had consigned one hundred (100) very nice pictures in various sizes and subjects, a few of them choice oil paintings; also 10 mirrors, some oval, some square, and some of the Marie Antoinette style, a Davis sewing machine, and a lot of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Goods are now on exhibition. Open evenings. Remember the sale is next Thursday, March 30, at 1.30, and that we take no goods on a limit and everything must be sold. You will find it to your advantage to call and examine the goods and get the numbers of the articles which interest you before the day of sale.

C. F. KEYES.

DEATHS

WOODBURY—Oscar Woodbury died last night at Flint's sanatorium, Dracut, aged 32 years, 10 months and five days. He is survived by a father, Nathan K. Woodbury of Northfield, Vt., six brothers, Arthur of Haverhill, Herman and Burton, of Northfield, Vt. Gilbert E., Arlon L. and Eugene L. of Lowell and one sister, Miss Gladys E. Woodbury of Lowell.

McALEER—Michael McAleer, a well known member of the Immaculate Conception church, died yesterday at his home, 33 Chestnut street. Deceased is survived by two daughters, Jennie and Elizabeth, a son, James, and two sisters, Mrs. Rose McQuade and Mrs. Mary Sullivan. Mr. McAleer was a member of the Holy Name society.

PALLATO—Died in this city, March 28, at the home of his parents, Antonio and Annie, 117 Crosby street, Niro Pallatto, aged 1 year, 2 months, 12 days.

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ANDOVER ST. LINE

Towns and Villages Affected Are Most Enthusiastic

It didn't take Secretary Murphy more than a few hours yesterday to learn that the people of Tewksbury, Frye Village, Haggett's Pond and Andover are most enthusiastic over the proposition of the Lowell board of trade to have the Boston and Northern Street Railway extend its Andover street line in North Tewksbury to Andover, a distance of six miles, accommodating thousands of residents.

Mr. Murphy acting under instructions of the committee on railways and transportation visited the villages and towns interested in the project yesterday and talked with the board of trade of Andover.

Secretary Murphy is now arranging a meeting between the selectmen of Tewksbury and Andover, the board of trade committee and General Manager Sullivan of the Boston and Northern to be held in Boston next Tuesday when the combined forces will set forth the advantages of such an extension to Manager Sullivan.

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Thursday's Special Bargains

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Ladies' Heavy Serge Suits, pure wool, heavy satin lined, all sizes, all shades, values $15. $10.98

Ladies' Odd Sample Suits, pure wool, satin lined, value $12.50, $6.98

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Choice Drummers' Sample Suits, guaranteed lining, very choice shades in all sizes. These are better than we have seen anywhere marked for $25. Thursday $15.98

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Choice Navy Tan and Black Serge Coats, value $12.50 ..... $8.98

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Ladies' Choice Dress Skirts $1.98

Ladies' Fine Panama Dress Skirts, value $4.50 ..... $2.98

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Best Slip-on Rain Coats, $2.48 each

Fine Kid Gloves, value $1.00, 69c

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Silk and Messaline Shirtwaists, value $4.50 ..... $1.98

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FUNERAL NOTICES

BOYLE—The funeral of the late John J. Boyle will take place Thursday morning from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. P. Reagan, 287 Fayette street, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

McGLONE—Died, in Cambridge, Mar. 27, Michael McGlone. Funeral will be held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Reidy, 45 Banks street, Cambridge, Thursday morning, at 8.15 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated at St. Paul's church, Mt. Auburn street, Cambridge. The body will be sent to Lowell for burial, and will arrive in this city at 12 o'clock noon. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

GALLAGHER—The funeral Mrs. Margaret Gallagher will take place Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 31 Runels place. At 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. J. J. O'Connell in charge.

HASTY—The funeral of John Hasty will take place tomorrow morning at 8.30 from his late home, 4 Bay State court, off West 4th street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

TANSY—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Tansy will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 61 Chestnut street. At 10 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge. Friends invited.

WOODBURY—Died March 28th, at Dr. Flint's Sanatorium, Dracut, Oscar Woodbury, aged 32 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 349 Gorham street, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial will take place Friday at Northfield, Vt. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

McALEER—The funeral of the late Michael McAleer, will take place Friday morning from his residence, 33 Chestnut street at 8.15 o'clock. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

FUNERALS

SULLIVAN—The funeral of William Sullivan took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, Dennis F. and Sarah, 123 Warwick street and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Among the many beautiful floral tributes was a pillow "Our Willie," from family; spray of pinks and sweet peas with ribbon, "Cousin," from Mr. and Mrs. Charles McQuillan; spray of pinks and smilax from Dr. Flood of Palmer, Mass.; spray of pinks and sweet peas from Mr. and Mrs. Michael Donoghue and family; basket of daffodils and ferns from Mrs. James Walsh and family. The bearers were Masters John J. Sullivan, Harry F. Kelley, Richard Donoghue and John J. Sullivan. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Harkins of St. Margaret's church read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge.

ANSARA—The funeral of Nasif Ansara was held yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from his home, rear 98 Suffolk street. There was a large attendance from the Syrian colony. Services were held in the Greek Orthodox church at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. H. Demetry officiating. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge.

LAKE—The funeral of the late John Lake took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 117 Cushing street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Mr. Andrew McCarthy. The bearers were Patrick Regan, Dennis and John Sullivan, and John McNamara. At the grave, Rev. William O'Brien read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PALLATTO—Emiro Pallatto, child of Antiono and Annie, died yesterday afternoon after a short illness, age one year and two months, at 117 Crosby street. The funeral took place from his parents' home, 117 Crosby street at 2.30 o'clock. There were many floral offerings from relatives and friends. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

MANLEY—The funeral of the late Miss Annie E. Manley took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. James Farley, Methuen street, Dracut, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Francis Mullin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Boulger, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Griffin and Mr. Boulger. Miss Carolyn White presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were James F. and Denis J. O'Connell, David J. Williams, Robert Nutter, Michael Nutter, and Frank Reed. At the grave Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

UNTRUTHFUL BOY

From Utica, N. Y., Couldn't Fool Police

Frank Barnaby, the 12-year-old boy, of Utica, N. Y., who was taken in charge by the police last week, is to be returned to his father in Utica. Barnaby, according to those who questioned him at the police station, is the prince of liars. He told the police that he belonged in Utica, N. Y., that his father was killed by falling from an eight story building, his mother remarried and he could not stand the abuse of his stepfather and came to Lowell in search of friends he knew here. The only true part of the story was that he belonged in Utica, and that he had been stopping with friends here in Lakeview avenue for several weeks. It was the family in Lakeview avenue with whom he had been stopping who notified the police that they could no longer support the boy.

Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society wrote to Utica relative to the boy and learned that the father was living and that the boy was of a roving disposition. The father, according to the communication, was tired of trying to keep the boy at home and finally gave it up as a bad job, thinking that when the boy got enough of wandering around the country that he would return of his own volition.

Money for the boy's fare to Utica was also sent and Frank will be sent back to that city tomorrow.

FOUR CANDIDATES

BOOMED FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION

WASHINGTON, March 29.—William Jennings Bryan, Gov. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio and Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, were suggested last night as the democratic standard bearers in the presidential campaign of 1912. The occasion was a dinner of appreciation given by the citizens of Washington to Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, chairman of the senate committee on District of Columbia affairs.

President Taft listened and laughed frequently at the speeches, often humorous; but in his own speech refrained from political phrases.

Senator Bailey, touching upon Senator Gallinger's work, argued that it was poor policy to make Washington a beautiful city, because "statesmen and would-be statesmen" became so infatuated with the delights of the municipality that they were "spoiled for home uses," and were loath to leave the city when the polls dictated such a fate.

"I've been here 20 years," said Senator Bailey, "and I expect to stay here 20 more, the people of Texas being willing."

The Texan continued and made several political allusions, being followed by former Senator William E. Chandler of New Hampshire, who evoked laughter when he declared that he saw in Senator Bailey's remarks a Bailey presidential boom.

Turning to President Taft, Mr. Chandler said:

"You see Mr. President, what you have before you. There's Senator Bailey or Gov. Woodrow Wilson, or Gov. Judson Harmon or Mr. Bryan."

ITALIAN CABINET

Make-up of New Cabinet Announced

ROME, March 29.—Premier Giovanni Giolitti, who takes the portfolio of minister of the interior today, announced the make-up of the new cabinet which succeeds that of Luigi Luzzatti. Nearly all the members of the former ministry are retained. These are:

Foreign affairs, Marquis A. Di San Giuliano; treasury, Francisco Tedesoco; finance, Signor Facta; war, General Spingardi; public instruction, Signor Credardo; public works, Signor Sacchi; posts and telegraphs, Signor Ciuffili.

The new members are:

Justice, Signor Finocchiaro, who succeeds Signor Fani; marine, Admiral Cattolica, replacing Admiral Leonardi, and agriculture, Signor Nitti, who takes the place of Signor Rainerl in the post first offered to Signor Bissolati, leader of the socialist parliamentary group but declined by him because while he said he was in sympathy with the proposed policy of the new government he could not bring himself to adopt the outward forms requested of the cabinet members, such as wearing a uniform on public occasions.

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Borax, lb. 7c
Gre Solvent, box 10c
Soap Tree Bark, lb. 25c

ARE THEY HERE?

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PHILADELPHIA, March 29.—More than 60 per cent. of the stock of the Pennsylvania Railroad company was voted at the election yesterday in favor of increasing the capital stock from $500,000,000 to $600,000,000. Eight hundred and eighty-eight stockholders voted in person and 5,028,588 shares were voted by proxy.

William H. Barnes, George Wood and C. Stuart Patterson, the directors whose terms expired yesterday, were re-elected.

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30,000 SEALS

On Board the Steamer Bonaventure

ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 29—The steamer Bonaventure arrived last night with 30,000 seals aboard, first to return of the fleet of 19 sealers which left on the annual cruise 15 days ago.

According to the report brought in by the Bonaventure, 11 other steamers are about to start for home with good catches and only two of the 19, so far as is known appear to have missed the seal herds. Advices indicate that the catch will probably exceed half a million, considerably more than was secured by the sealers last year.

The cargo brought in by the Bonaventure is worth upwards of $75,000. At this rate the entire season's catch should net the New Foundlanders nearly a million and a half dollars. Four thousand men were engaged in the sealing this year.

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